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REOPENING OCTOBER 26--Friends and patrons helped owners Jerry and Marian Graham rebuild the Frederic AuSable Hotel after a May 10 fire.

Recycling Opportunities Grow Throughout Crawford County

Recycling opportunities continue to grow throughout Crawford County in an effort to encourage residents to keep reusable refuse out of the landfill.

COUNTY-WIDE

The Crawford/Osego Recycling Center, located at the landfill on Sherman Road, is recycling plastic jugs and bottles, newsprint, corrugated cardboard, clear glass bottles and jars, scrap metal, tin cans, and computer and office paper.

Residents are still confused about which plastic items are recyclable. Robert McLachlan, Jr., of Milltown Refuse, said a good rule of thumb is "if you can step on it and it doesn't break, it can be recycled. If it breaks, it's garbage."

Only corrugated cardboard is recyclable. This includes all cardboard packing boxes, but does not include boxes that contain grocery items such as cereal, Kleenex, and laundry soap.

The Crawford/Osego Recycling Center is open Monday through Saturday from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Recycling bins are at the K-mart parking lot on the first day of each month and Glen's Market on the 15th.

Styrofoam and plastic bags can be recycled everyday at Glen's Market. Glen's is the only place recycling Styrofoam. Please do not put Styrofoam with either plastic or paper. It just winds up in the ground.

CITY OF GRAYLING

Grayling city residents can recycle their tin cans, newsprint, plastic jugs and bottles, and corrugated cardboard on the last Monday of each month. Recyclables must be in separate containers and these containers must be set away from household refuse to be buried.

Milltown Refuse has large plastic bins to help keep recycled items separated. These bins also assist sanitation workers determine which con-

tainers to recycle, insuring that recycled refuse is not collected with landfill refuse. There is a \$10 deposit on each bin, which is refunded when service is terminated.

These bins are available to all Milltown Refuse customers.

Milltown Refuse customers who live outside the city limits can recycle on the last pick-up day of the month.

GRAYLING TOWNSHIP

The Crawford/Osego Recycling Center

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Emergency Central Dispatch Moves Into New Office

Crawford Emergency Central Dispatch began operating out of the new Dispatch Center on Wednesday, September 25, at approximately 7 p.m. The move from the Sheriff's Dept. to the new center in the courthouse annex is a step towards the implementation of 9-1-1 that will begin on November 1.

Residents of Crawford County should continue to call the emergency numbers for police, fire, and ambulance services as they have in the past. These emergency numbers include: Crawford County Sheriff's Dept., 348-6341; Grayling North Flight Ambulance, 347-6341; Grayling City & Twp. Fire Dept., 348-2000; Grayling City Police Dept., 348-4621; Frederic

Fire and Ambulance Service, 348-9191; Beaver Creek Fire Dept., 348-2222; Lovells Fire Dept., 348-6341; South Branch Twp. Fire Dept., 348-6341 or 275-5101.

These emergency numbers will all change to 9-1-1 on November 1.

As of this date, all non-emergency calls should be directed to the following business numbers: Crawford County Sheriff's Dept., 348-4616; Grayling Police Dept., 348-4601; Crawford County Jail, 348-4822; Central Dispatch, 348-4911; Beaver Creek Fire Dept., 275-8548.

These numbers are business lines only.

'The Swamp' Lives Again; Volunteers Help Build It

Friends and patrons of the Swamp, formerly known as the Frederic AuSable Hotel, brought new meaning to volunteerism when they literally rebuilt the bar and restaurant from the septic system to the roof, at no expense to owners Jerry and Marian Graham.

The 100-year Frederic landmark was destroyed by fire on May 10, 1991. To make matters worse for the Grahams, as the last wall collapsed, so did Jerry, from a heart attack.

It was then that friends of the Gra-

hams and patrons of the "Swamp" decided there would be a "Swamp II." Every ounce of labor needed to rebuild was donated. The Grahams paid only for materials.

"We didn't have enough money to rebuild," explained Marian. "The age of the building made it impossible for us to get insurance for its replacement value."

Jack Ritter Construction volunteered to apply for the necessary building permits and served as general contractor, overseeing all the volun-

teers and tying the project together. The Grahams designed the 48 ft. by 72 ft. building. Construction began on July 24, 1991.

A special V.I.P. grand opening for everyone who helped rebuild the Swamp II is scheduled for Thursday, October 24, with the public grand opening set for Saturday, October 26.

"We think the people responsible for building the Swamp II should enjoy it first," said Marian.

Swamp II will be a bar and full-service restaurant.

United Way Auction Has Help For Your Holiday Celebrations

Whether it's Thanksgiving, Christmas or New Year's Eve, the United Way celebrity auctioneers have help for your celebration.

The Chief Shoppenagon Hotel will auction off a complete turkey dinner for six. This will be served family style, with a complete turkey. (Bring your own carver.) And you get to take home the leftovers!

Randy and Lynn Thompson will auction off a sledding party for the winning bidder and 30 or more of his friends. This includes children and will take place at a date of your choosing during January or February. Just give Randy the guest list and he'll take care of the rest. There will be a bonfire on lighted hills, hot dogs, kielbasa, beer, hot chocolate, and music.

And for New Year's Eve, the Hospitality House will auction off two cases of champagne. You'll be all set when the clock strikes midnight on December 31st.

This is just a sample of what's in store for those who attend the United Way Auction at the Knights of Columbus Hall Saturday, November 2nd.

Commissioners Seek Outside Help To Investigate Use Of Law Enforcement Funds

The Crawford County Board of Commissioners have requested advice from an outside prosecutor concerning allegations of improper use of law enforcement funds.

In a special meeting last Wednesday, October 2, the commissioners voted 5-2 to follow up action on an earlier motion to pass on information of the allegations to the Attorney General's office or to a special prosecutor.

The 5-2 vote came after a closed session with Crawford County Undersheriff Tom Coors. The commissioners said the closed session was to discuss possible litigation.

Crawford County Commissioner Chairman Bob McLachlan said the commissioners have received information from a citizen concerning improper use of law enforcement funds.

"Whether or not these allegations are founded or unfounded, we want them investigated," he said. "There seems to be some credibility in them

and they are worth checking into."

Undersheriff Coors said the whole matter was just a mudslinging thing to get the sheriff department and he said he preferred not to start mudslinging with the commissioners.

Sheriff Hatfield has previously defended the actions of his personnel and has told commissioners any problems in the department could be handled from within his department.

Five of the county commissioners also sent a letter, signed as citizens, requesting Inspector Gary McGhee, Michigan State Police Assistant District Commander, to assist in the investigation of some alleged wrong doings brought to our attention by a Ms. Miller in our County Law Enforcement Department. The County Prosecuting Attorney has been re-

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Resident Overcomes Paralyzation For Reunion With Pet Cat

By Irene Pettyjohn

Catherine Baker, 75, and Cloudy, her companion for nearly eleven years, were reunited on September 4 after being separated for 18 months. The big gray cat was returned to Catherine by the doctors and staff at the Grayling Animal Hospital who had been caring for him while his mistress recovered from a lengthy illness. Grayling Animal Hospital charged Catherine nothing for Cloudy's boarding expenses.

When Catherine became ill last year, she took her companion to the Grayling Animal Hospital. She had boarded her cat with Drs. Wayne Casler and Paul Mesack before when health problems necessitated their separation, and as before, Catherine thought the arrangement was temporary. She had no idea that a year and a half would pass before Cloudy would once again curl up in her lap.

Catherine had been in and out of Grayling's Mercy Hospital from

Thanksgiving until she was transferred to Munson Medical Center in Traverse City in early February, 1990. She underwent orthopedic surgery at Munson on February 13, and then transferred via ambulance airplane to William Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak, on March 3. She had a second surgery on her spine at Beaumont on March 9. On April 13, she returned to Grayling by ambulance and was admitted to a local nursing home, paralyzed from her arm pits to her toes.

Catherine could not have Cloudy with her while she was recovering in the nursing home so he stayed on at the animal hospital. By this time the 13-year-old cat had made himself quite comfortable at the office, taking long naps curled up on top of the computer monitor or perched on the counter top, checking out each new arrival.

Meanwhile, Catherine's recovery was slow.

Physical therapy had been ordered

by Dr. Lawrence Kurz, while Catherine was under his care at William Beaumont Hospital and he recommended the therapy continue when she was transferred to the nursing home. Catherine said her nursing home doctor did not agree with Dr. Kurz prognosis. Knowing she could not live alone again until she could walk, Catherine enlisted the help of a few friends and together they convinced the doctor that physical therapy would be beneficial. Mercy Hospital's physical therapist, Paul Drew, came to the nursing home two to three times a week. But when the insurance coverage ended, so did physical therapy and Catherine was once again confined to her bed most of the time.

"I became so depressed I even thought of suicide," she said. To cheer her up, Karen Casler and Judy Mesack, wives of the two veterinarians, took pictures of Cloudy and mailed them to her. They even offered to

bring Cloudy for visits. But the pictures only made Catherine miss Cloudy more. Finally, believing she would always be paralyzed, Catherine gave Cloudy to the staff at the hospital.

"It was just too painful to think of him waiting for me and me not able to get him," cried Catherine. "It was easier to let him go completely." Catherine said she knew everyone at the animal hospital loved Cloudy and would give him a good home.

Catherine spent all but about two hours a day in bed. She was lifted into a wheelchair for an hour each morning and afternoon, during mealtimes. In March, 1991, a year after her second surgery, Catherine, a registered nurse for 40 years, decided to try some physical therapy on herself. She began to raise and lower her legs with her hands, first one leg and then the other. It took a while, but eventually she could lift both legs without assistance.

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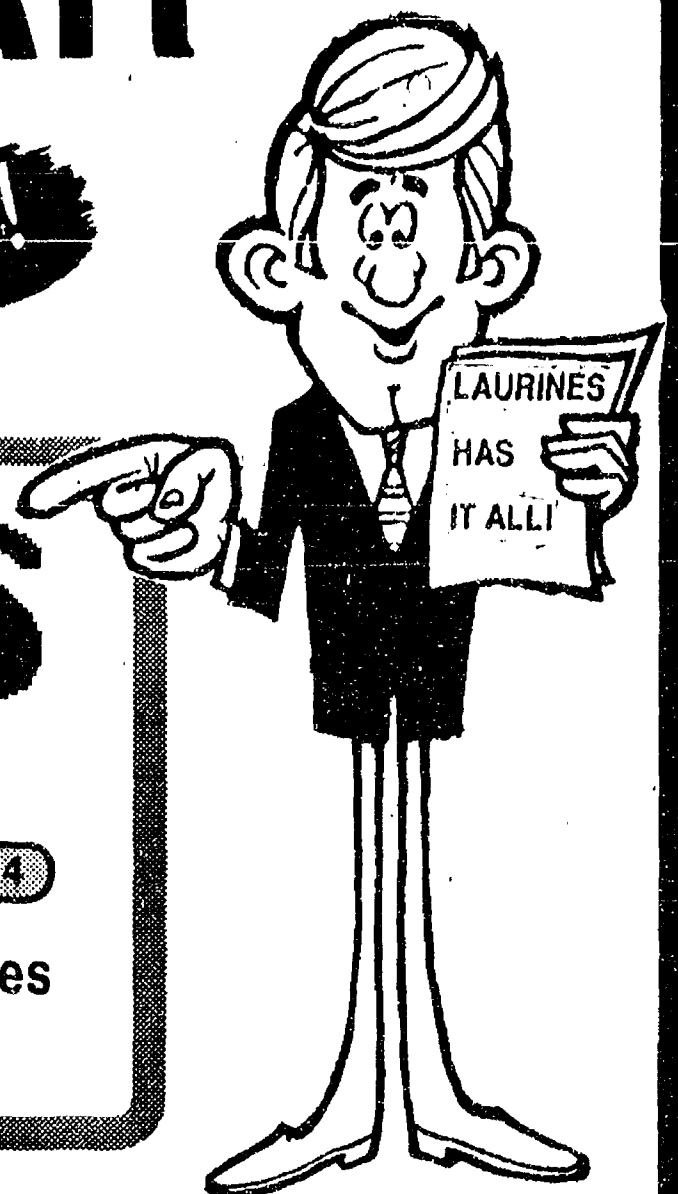


CONTEST WINNERS—Grayling State Bank's scarecrow won first place in the Grayling Uptown District Association scarecrow contest. Gerry VanSickle created the "bankercrow" located on the corner of Michigan and Peninsular avenues. Wade and Cheryl Russell took second place for the scarecrow on the corner at Gasland and Gerry VanSickle's Rialto scarecrow took third place. Judy Weaver Dickinson's scarecrow at the Chamber of Commerce's office received honorable mention.

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Lovells Hosts Gypsy Moth Answer Session

Residents seeking more information about the Gypsy Moth spraying program can attend a question-answer session 10 a.m. Saturday, October 12, at Lovells Township Hall. Experts on hand will be a representative from the manufacturer of the spray, Russ Kidd, and Roy Spangler from the MSU Extension Service, Roger Meek, DNR biologist, and Norm Remington, Michigan Dept. of Agriculture.

Sheriff Deputy Undergoes Kidney Transplant Surgery

Sheriff Deputy Dean Goss underwent kidney transplant surgery on October 2, at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak. He is recovering in the hospital's intensive care unit. Transplant donor is his brother, Jack, from Bessemer. Jack and his family were residents of Grayling for many years before moving to the Upper Peninsula.

Local Weather

Courtesy of the City of Grayling

Date	High	Low	Rain
10/1	58	36	0.03
10/2	65	35	0.15
10/3	64	45	0.06
10/4	57	40	
10/5	56	41	2.51
10/6	43	36	0.09
10/7	44	32	0.51

Extended forecast courtesy of the U. S. Weather Service in Houghton Lake:

Wednesday will be partly sunny with the high in the 60s and the low in the mid 40s. Thursday and Friday will be partly cloudy with the high in the 50s and the low in the 30s. Saturday will have a chance of showers with the high in the 60s and the low in the 40s.

Reunion

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Once Catherine could move her legs, she began to practice standing during the two hours she sat in a wheelchair each day.

"I'd back my wheelchair against a wall and lock the wheels," she explained. "My roommate had a walker and I used that to help myself up and down."

In early April, Catherine wheeled herself into the nursing home administrator's office, revealed the progress she had made on her own,

and requested physical therapy so that she could continue to improve.

"I really never believed she would be able to walk again," said long-time friend Sherry Haag. "But I did think she could become independent and care for herself in one of the senior handicap apartments at AuSagra Acres."

Sherry said Catherine was just too stubborn to be content to lie in bed the rest of her life.

"I had a feeling something was up last April from a silly look Catherine

would get on her face every time physical therapy was mentioned," she remembers, "but Catherine didn't let on what she was doing."

Physical therapy was reinstated for Catherine four to five times a week by a nurses aid who had been trained earlier by a Mercy Hospital therapist. She was moved to a private room in July that afforded her more room to move about and on July 29, her doctor wrote a prescription recommending her for handicapped housing. Catherine moved into her own apartment at AuSagra Acres on August 28.

Aware of the Grayling Housing Commission's "no pet" policy, Catherine never dreamed she would be able to have Cloudy with her again. She was just happy to be in her own

"home" again, but Sherry was not so satisfied. Sherry knew how important Cloudy was to Catherine. As the previous director of the Commission on Aging, Sherry was aware of changes in the Housing and Urban Development's pet policy and spoke to Guy Quigley, director of AuSagra Acres. She gave Quigley a copy of a prescription from Catherine's doctor stating he believed it was important for Catherine's well-being for her to have Cloudy with her. Catherine and Cloudy were reunited about a week later.

"Although we had all become attached to Cloudy and we're sad to see him leave us," said Dr. Mesack, "we were also happy to send him back to Mrs. Baker and happy she was well enough to take him back."



HAPPY REUNION—Catherine Baker says it is "wonderful" to have Cloudy curled up on her lap again after their 18-month separation.

Recycling

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Center is continuing to place recycling bins at the Grayling Township Transfer Station on North Down River Road. Metal, corrugated cardboard, newsprint, and plastic jugs and bottles can be deposited here from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the following days: October 12 & 26, November 9 & 23, and December 14 & 28.

BEAVER CREEK TOWNSHIP
Beaver Creek residents can recycle corrugated cardboard and newsprint at the Seven Mile Transfer Station on Wednesday from 4-7 p.m. and on Saturday and Sunday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

FREDERIC TOWNSHIP
A recycling bin is located in Frederic adjacent to the Kwik Stop on County Road 612 East where Frederic Township residents can recycle newsprint, corrugated cardboard, and plastic jugs. This recycling station is open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

SOUTH BRANCH TOWNSHIP
South Branch residents can recycle newsprint, corrugated cardboard, and plastic jugs at the Pioneer Road Transfer Station every day except Tuesday and Thursday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Glass and metals cannot be recycled

Lost & Found Property	2
Malicious Destruction of Property	3
Marine Complaint	1
Missing Person	0
Near Drowning (Infant)	1
Obstructing Justice	0
Open Door	2
Operating Under the Influence of Liquor	2
Prowler	0
Public Peace	1
Suspicious Situation	1
Traffic	1
Trespassing	0
Vehicle Inspection	2
Violation of Public Health Code	0
Warrant Arrest	3
Total Number of Complaints	89

Commission

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quested to seek assistance from the Attorney General's office on these matters and any help you can provide him will expedite this matter."

Commissioners McLachlin, Dennis Long, Loren Goodale, Brian Hulbert, and Lee Riley signed the letter. They also voted yes on the motion to seek outside prosecution help. Commissioners Joe Callewaert and Bob Smock voted no on the motion and they also did not sign the letter.

Crawford County Prosecutor John Huss said he is acting on the commissioner's request and said he could not comment on the request because it is part of an on-going investigation.

Commissioner Bob McLachlin said he didn't think the subject would come up at the regular Wednesday county commissioner meeting October 9. The commissioners will be waiting for advice from the Attorney General's no formal or specific charges made, only a request for outside prosecution help by the commissioners and a request for help for outside investigative help by the five commissioners acting as private citizens.

Police Department

Week of 9/30/91 to 10/6/91

Abandoned Vehicle	7
Accidents	7
Car/Deer	7
Personal Injury Accident	1
Property Damage Accident	4
ORV Accident	1
Alarms	2
Ambulance Runs	0
Animal Control Complaints	2
Assaults	2
Assist	6
City Police	6
D.N.R.	0
General	7
Motorist	4
Other Agencies	6
Attempt to Locate (Specific)	0
Bad Checks	0
Be on the Look Out (General)	0
Breaking/Entering	7
Breathalyzer Test	0
Check Law Violation	0
Civil/Domestic	6
Conservation	0
Contributing To Delinquency of Minors	0
Criminal Sexual Conduct	1
Death (Natural)	1
Disorderly Person	0
Driving While License is Suspended	1
Hazardous Situation	1
Immigration	0
Indecent Exposure	1
Juvenile Delinquent	0
Larceny	3
Littering	1
Malicious Destruction of Property	1
Misdemeanor Citation	1
Motorist Assist	8
Non-Classified Complaints	23
Traffic Control	3
Traffic Warnings	1
Unauthorized Driving Away of an Automobile	1
Patrol Mileage	617
Total Number of Complaints	60
Total Incidents	67

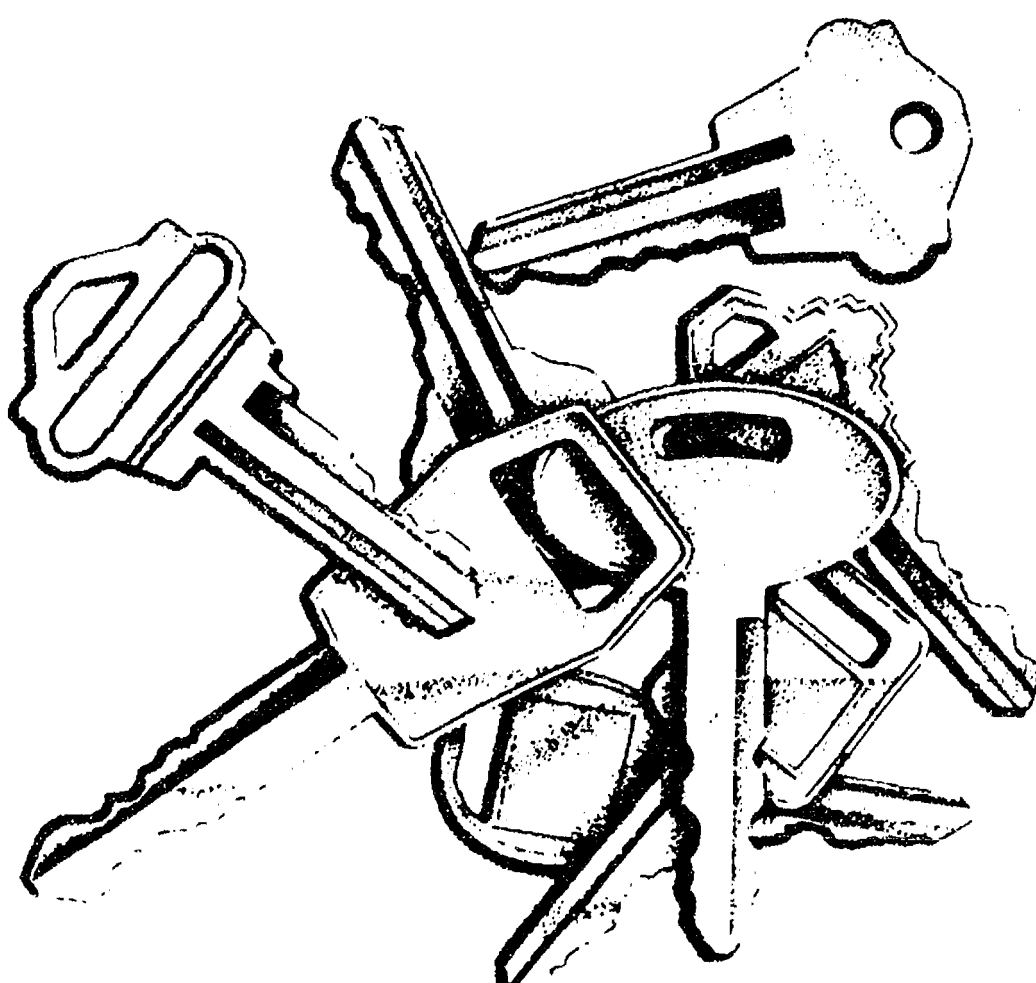
Stolen Property Value	\$309.37
Mal. Dest. of Property Value	\$150.00
Total Dollar Loss	\$315.00
Recovered Property Value	\$144.37

Sheriff Department

Week of 9/30/91 to 10/6/91

Abandoned Vehicle	7
Accidents	7
Car/Deer	7
Personal Injury Accident	1
Property Damage Accident	4
ORV Accident	1
Alarms	2
Ambulance Runs	0
Animal Control Complaints	2
Assaults	2
Assist	6
City Police	6
D.N.R.	0
General	7
Motorist	4
Other Agencies	6
Attempt to Locate (Specific)	0
Bad Checks	0
Be on the Look Out (General)	0
Breaking/Entering	7
Breathalyzer Test	0
Check Law Violation	0
Civil/Domestic	6
Conservation	0
Contributing To Delinquency of Minors	0
Criminal Sexual Conduct	1
Death (Natural)	1
Disorderly Person	0
Driving While License is Suspended	1
Hazardous Situation	1
Immigration	0
Indecent Exposure	1
Juvenile Delinquent	0
Larceny	3
Littering	1

Total Number of Complaints 89



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Opinions

Let's Talk About It

By Joe Murphy

To all of you Dear Friends that offered prayers on Carolyn's behalf on her recent surgery a BIG Thank You. Everything worked out well the threat of cancer is gone and she is recovering very well. If there is anyone who doubts the power of prayer, Carolyn's clean bill of health, when it seemed so sure she had cancer, should be a convincer. So to each and everyone of you who offered a prayer for her we offer our heartfelt Thank You. On November 15th, we will celebrate 42 years together and set our sights on the gold.

One thing the old man has learned while she was in the hospital is being alone is not much fun. Those little chores the wife does everyday turn out to be a lot of work and if they are not done, things can build up in a hurry. I will have to be chief cook and house maid for awhile before Carolyn is able to take over again and I will be very happy when she can. A man tends to think keeping house is a soft job but if he tried it awhile he would soon change his mind. The old saying, "A man may work from sun to sun, but a woman's work is never done," is very true. So here is a Salute to what some refer to as the common housewife, but really there is no such thing. Any man that took over her duties would soon find that out. So why not give that Special

Lady a break and take her out to dinner.

Now with winter staring us in the face, many of us are wondering just how bad winter is going to be. Will it be the old fashioned find with lots of snow or another mild one. Everyone has that question on their minds except for those lucky folks who head for warmer climates when winter threatens. There is the story about this old Indian who won fame for his ability to predict the weather. A reporter went out to get his prediction on a coming winter and the Indian stated it would be one of the worst in many years. The reporter asked him how he knew that, the Indian replied he had been in town and saw that the white men were putting a lot of coal in their basements. Just about all the old timers had their sure fire way of predicting the coming winter. If the husks on the corn were real heavy, or a lot of apples stayed on the trees, if the deer were extra fat, etc. As for me I sure have no idea what we face this winter. All I can do is hope and pray it will be a mild one.

In my column a couple of weeks ago I asked for recipes for baked beans to try. Well Pauline Meaker did better than that. She brought the old man a dish of her great baked beans. Thank You Pauline, they tasted great.

Letters to the Editor

Torch Run Raises \$1,289 For Special Olympics

On September 17, 1991, the Grayling Police Department again participated in the Michigan Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics. Money was raised through donations in the amount of \$1,289. This far exceeds last year's total of \$465. At this time I would like to thank those who made this run possible.

Thanks are due to Chief Peter Stephan for allowing time to pursue this project and for traffic control during the run. Kermit LaMotte also assisted with traffic. Sgt. Ron Clevenger of the Lansing Police Department was the contact person, assisting in setting up the details and

providing the necessary paperwork. Tom and Tina Brooks also assisted in the raising of funds. Bruce McGuire participated in running and fund raising.

The following people or businesses generously donated funds for Michigan Special Olympics:

Donald Vradenburg, Chair's Standard, Carl and Sally Yost, 7-11 (Jacqueline Glander), Mary's Book Swap, William Carey, Mac's Drug Store, Dean and Lori Smith, R. J. Ruddy Investigative Service, Larry Hunter, Fenton's Motor Service, Chief Shoppengon's Motor Hotel, Grayling

Township Fire Department, Jaymie Clewley, A-Cut Above, Jack Best, Robert and Jerinae Golnick, Ralph and Doris Stevens, Superior Janitorial Services, Roger Moshier, Moore's Automotive, Mark Cherven, Allen and Patricia Schreiner, Carlisle Paddles, Dawn Donuts, Joe and Barb White, David R. Sabin P.C., Jim and Joyce Prosser, Joe and Jean Callewact, R and C Management (A & W), Benson, Bloomquist, Wegner & Hunter, R. Wieber Jewelers, Paul and Pat Hill, Goodale's Bakery, Grayling Restaurant, Robert and Marjean Farr, Penny Failing, Tim Hart, Bill Hart, Karl and Marge Schreiner, Custom

Forest Products, Ben Franklin Family Center, Jeff and Sue Coburn, McLean's Ace Hardware, Grayling State Bank, Continental Rental, Pete and Gloria Stephan, K Mart-Grayling, Harold Hatfield, Milltown Service, Inc., D and J Auto Sales, Bruce and Cathy McGuire, DuBois Lumber, Ray's Canoe Livery, Bev Stockton, C. F. Fick and Sons, Wurtsmith Credit Union, Tim Cooley, Jim Milliman, Dick Moore, Shirley Longworth, and Jim Rohen.

My thanks to each and everyone who made this year's torch run such a success.

Karl A. Schreiner

Patient Says We Are Fortunate To Have Fine Hospital Facility

I would like to express my thoughts of how fortunate we are to have such an up-to-date and professional facility we have in Mercy Hospital.

About six weeks ago I entered emergency at Mercy/Grayling, and a

week later had surgery. I was treated with such care, compassion, and understanding.

I had doubts about a small hospital, coming from down state, but because

we all too often hear criticism I want to say we have one of the finest in our area.

Avis Tromaly
Prudenville

Letters To The Editor

Your views are welcome on the Opinion Page. Letters may be typed or handwritten but please double space or use every other line.

Every letter must be signed and an address or phone number should be included. Letters will not be published without the author's name.

Letters are limited to 750 words.

The opinions expressed in the letters and columns on this page are solely those of the writer and do not reflect the views of the Crawford County Avalanche.

The Crawford County Avalanche publishes most community news concerning Crawford County residents or former residents free of charge.

Birth, engagement, and wedding announcements are published free of charge. Photographs may be included with engagement and wedding announcements at no charge. The Avalanche does not print baby pictures with birth announcements.

Wedding anniversary announcements or photographs for the 25th, 50th, and every five years after the 50th may be published without charge. Wedding anniversary announcements for other years may be placed in the Avalanche at our regular advertising space rate.

College graduation announcements, with or without photographs, will be published at no charge.

Reader Says School District Needs New Bus Safety Guidelines

The letter by Leslie Hunter concerning the meaning of a conscientious bus driver absolutely could win any prize for convoluted thinking and bias. All the niceties and dedication claimed by Leslie Hunter's letter are no reassurance to a parent if the prerequisite for a bus driver does not include some modicum of common sense, simple rules of safety and good judgment.

In my opinion, the bus driver in question has displayed none of the above over the last year in three serious incidents with my child and other children on the bus.

Just what is a conscientious bus driver? Is it a bus driver that in fact, does have an accident, and pushes the car 85 feet and only stops because she states she thought she had a flat tire? Is it a bus driver that drops off someone's eight-year-old child at a stop five miles from her home? I can't thank those strangers who brought her home. I'm so thankful she found good, kind, and caring people to bring her home safely. As for the down river fire you left out one very important fact. After she

called in the fire, she continued to drop children off in the fire area. Is it a bus driver that brings home a seven-year-old child with a bloody nose and never stopped the bus to check to see she was ok?

To hear an administrator openly admit she is being monitored, and to have another administrator never bother to return my phone calls are hardly any consolation or cause for joy for children who must ride buses

daily. Perhaps, it would bode well for the district officials to rethink the total issue of bus safety. Because of crowded conditions, has the time come to consider aides on buses?

It is an awful feeling to be a parent in this district and know you cannot use the school bus system while the present guidelines still exist.

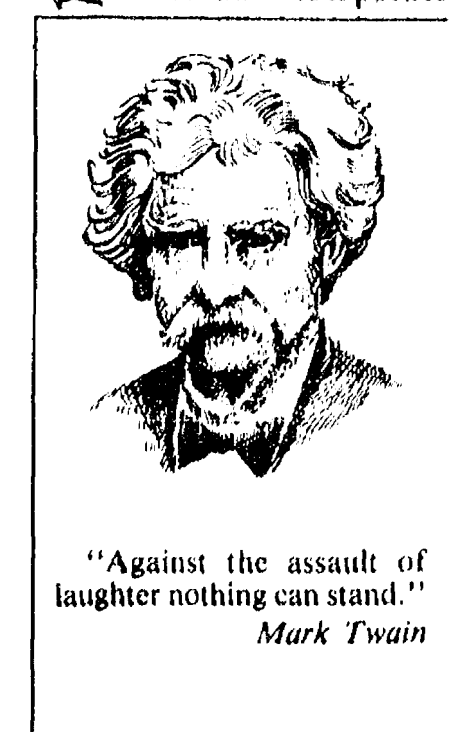
Something is radically wrong.

Bethany A. Hubbard
Grayling

ALL ABOUT TOWN



American Viewpoints



Almanack

Richard Millman

Column uses borrowed quotes

THERE **FOLLOWS** **HEREWITH** an example of how to write a weekly newspaper column without really writing one. What is done is to borrow — and credit — what others have written.

FOR **EXAMPLE,** **SYNDICATED** hometown newspaper columnists Joe Spear recently argued for unlimited terms for Supreme Court justices in face of the growing surge to limit terms of public officials.

"I want the people who interpret the law of the land to be independent of all external influence, sheltered from popular whimsy. I want them to feel secure, so they can thumb their noses at street-smart polls, book-smart academics and think-they're-smart reporters.

"I want Supreme Court justices who have been tempered by life's blows and mellowed by life's pleasures. I want them aged and experienced and world-wise and maybe even a little world weary."

"Have we really gotten to the point in this youth-obsessed society where nothing or no one is venerable?" Amen from this writer for Mr. Spear's comments. As I grow older, the amen grows louder.

A RECENT EDITORIAL in *The Detroit News* analyzed and criticized the U.S. Senate hearing process to which Judge Clarence Thomas has recently been subjected after his nomination to the Supreme Court:

"The Democrats on the Judiciary Committee have made their hearings a minefield in which nominees who say the 'wrong' thing risk sudden death. So recent nominees, including Judge Thomas, have simply opted to deflect as many questions as possible. The senators then decry the nominees for a lack of candor that they would mercilessly punish if it were forthcoming. They have gotten the hearing process they deserve."

The editorial is right. Nominees often are in a "damned if you do, damned if you don't" situation.

BACK IN WASHINGTON after a several-weeks vacation in the Midwest, including a stop in Michigan, Washington Post columnist Dave Broder observed:

"In the Midwest, the Republican Party reflects the considerable strengths of George Bush. No one symbolizes or defines the Democrats in the same way. If Democrats thought that the personal integrity and ability of House Speaker Thomas S. Foley of Washington or Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell of Maine would rub off on Congress, they were wrong. Their public presence is zilch. And Congress' name is mud."

"That is one important reason why the Democrats literally cannot afford to disregard the 1992 presidential election. Weak as their chances of defeating (President George) Bush appear to be, the presidential contest offers them the only hope in the next year of shifting the party's perception from the ruinous reputation of the



Washington congressional insiders."

Of course, if Mr. Broder and other Washington insiders would venture outside the Potomac Beltway more often, and talk to people in the Midwest and other parts of the country, they probably could learn a lot more about what makes the voter tick.

WASHINGTON POLITICAL writers usually are relatively restrained in their criticism of individuals with whom they may disagree, couching their words in sort-of polite phrases. Not so all of them all of the time. A recent exception appeared in a column by syndicated writer James J. Kilpatrick:

"The senator from Iowa (Sen. Tom Harkin), to put the matter gently, is a blowhard of the old school. He rants, he raves, he storms, he bellows. In the University of Politics, he majored in demagoguery. He took his minor in horsefeathers. On the stump, he sheds his coat; he rolls up his sleeves; he sweats in his armpits, and he is every inch a man of the pee-pul."

Well... if that is "putting the matter gently," I would love to read an offering by Mr. Kilpatrick when he's really worked up about someone... as long as I'm not the target.

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Medicare-Medicaid Advice Available To Area Seniors

The American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) and the Regional Area Agencies on Aging recently held a training session for counselors in the Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program (MMAP) to serve in the 12 counties in northeast Michigan. The MMAP is a service for senior citizens who have questions or concerns on Medicare, Medicaid, and supplemental insurance. Training was given by Mrs. Antonia Kozak, AARP Staff Coordinator.

The counselor for Crawford County

is Mrs. Phyllis Brummer. Seniors may come to the Commission on Aging office at 2081 Awndale on the first and third Wednesday of each month from 9 to 11:30 a.m. or call 348-2351 if the question can be handled by telephone. If a person is unable to travel, home visits can be arranged. This service is available to all senior residents at no cost.

If anyone is interested in becoming a MMAP volunteer counselor in his/her community, call the telephone number given above.

Miss Grayling Applications Available For 1992 Contest

The Miss Grayling pageant sponsored by the Grayling Chapter of American Business Women's Association and the Grayling Chamber of Commerce will be held at the Joseph Stripe Auditorium on January 11, 1992, at 7:30 p.m.

All single, talented, attractive, and ambitious Grayling High School junior and senior young women are eligible

to enter the pageant. Applications are available at the high school counseling office.

Applications should be returned or any additional information obtained from the co-directors of this year's pageant, Mary Ann Bloomquist at 348-8497, of Rt 4 Box 4859, Grayling, and Sandy Moore at 348-2154, of P.O. Box 4, Grayling.

Cards of Thanks

The family of Leona Papendick wish to take this way to thank the many friends and relatives for their concern during the loss of our mother, grandmother and great-grandmother.

Especially to the nurses, aids, food services and maintenance that took care of Leona during the years she was in Mercy Manor...

To Doctor Gosling for seeing over her...to Rev. Robert Gordon for your comforting words...to the O.E.S. for the luncheon.

To all, we thank you.

Thelma Madsen
LeRoy Papendick
Robert Papendick

Honey Cooking Demonstration Set

Weight Watchers of Grayling is offering a free cooking demonstration on Wednesday, October 16, at 5:30 p.m. at the St. Francis Episcopal Church, M-72, Grayling.

Sweetest Day is the third Saturday in October and it is also National Honey Month. In conjunction with these two events, Weight Watchers Food Advisor, Sue Stallard, will present recipes for honey lovers.

Visitors are welcome at no charge. Free honey recipes will be available. For more information, call (800) 487-4777, or (616) 947-0010.

Hobby Club Meeting Oct. 14

The Frederic Hobby Club met Monday, September 23, for a "fun and games night." Margaret Gugin was the winner of the grocery pricing game. They also played Bingo and games. Esther Weaver was the winner of the door prize and Annie Berger was the hostess.

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PASSING OF THE GAVEL--Judy Craft, last year's Chamber of Commerce president, passes on the gavel to new president Terry Bloomquist. See pages 6-7 for more Chamber of Commerce news.



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Grayling Youth Booster Club Annual Installation of Officers Dinner Dance

October 19, 1991 at Weatherly's Country House
6 pm to 7 pm - Free Happy Hour
7 pm to 8 pm - Dinner
9 pm to ? - Dancing Entertainment

Tickets \$15.00 per person

Tickets available at Chemical Bank, Grayling State, Sheriff Dept., or from Grayling Booster Club Officers or Board Members who are:

Officers

President - John Hunter
Vice President - Tom Coors
Treasurer - John Alef II
Secretary - Vi Ayers

Board Members

Marlin Friske - Barb Harmer
John Harmer - Tom Haskel
Tim Krey - Irving McIsaac
Harry Miller - John Naour
Cliff Wheeler - Fred Schaibly
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*If you want to live in the kind of town like the kind of town you like
you needn't slip your clothes in a grip, and head on a long long hike.
You'll only find what you left behind, for there's nothing that's really new,
It's a knock at yourself when you knock your town.
It isn't the town, it's ME and YOU!*

*Real towns aren't made by men afraid that someone else gets ahead.
If everyone works and no one shirks you can raise a town from the dead.
And if while you make your personal stake, your neighbor can make his too,
your town will be what you want it to be.
It isn't the town, it's ME and YOU!*

*Some people say their town is too slow. But, we know it's just not so.
It's still the "movers and shakers" that make a small town grow.
So Remember...
Our town can be what WE want it to.
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exceptional door prizes to be given to those attending. "I would like to extend my personal thanks to everyone who helped to make the evening a great success," said Deb Allen, Chamber Exec.

Membership Phone Survey Set For October 23-24

Do you have business issues or concerns that you would like the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce to address? If so, the Chamber Board encourages you to contact the Chamber Executive or any board member to express those concerns. Additionally, on October 23 and 24, 1991, Chamber volunteers will be calling Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce Members and asking them to participate in a ten

minute survey regarding Chamber services, small business concerns and community needs. Please make a note of these dates on your calendar and prepare your staff that a volunteer may be calling to ask some questions. If you are not available for the interview a questionnaire will be mailed to your business. The Chamber can only be as effective as you would like it to be — if you are equally willing to support its programs and efforts.



Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce

Servicing Beaver Creek, Frederic, Grayling and Lovells Areas

We salute and thank the Grayling area businesses and residents for their ongoing support! Please join us Thursday, October 17, between 1-4 pm during our open house. Coffee and donuts will be served.

Grayling Promotional Association

Would like to say "Thank You Grayling" for a successful year in 1991. The following members would like to salute the community with these activities and specials for Thursday, October 17th.



AAA Insurance: Complimentary sweet juicy apple given to all visitors.

Advanced Business Machines: Complimentary donuts and coffee plus 25% discount on all non-sale items in stock.

Camp Grayling: A donation to the Crawford County Library of historical books.

Chemical Bank North: Complimentary cider and donuts.

Copper Kettle: Complimentary dessert served with purchase of lunch or dinner.

Cornell Insurance: Complimentary cider and donuts.

Cornell Real Estate: Enjoy complimentary cider, donuts, and sweet juicy apples.

Crawford County Avalanche: The Oct. 17th newspaper issued free to all visitors to the Avalanche office. Also, all 20 word classified and personal ads placed in the office on Oct. 17th for following week are free.

Crawford County Historical Society and Museum: Museum will be open free to all visitors. The admission fee is being paid by Georgia-Pacific.

Crawford County Library: Special raffle drawing on Oct. 17th at 5 p.m. for a "Candy Filled Trick or Treat Jar!" You may come in and sign up for the drawing anytime between now and the 17th during regular library hours.

C. F. Fick & Sons: Complimentary coffee and donuts served all day.

Georgia-Pacific: Will pay \$1 admission price to Historical Museum for each person who visits the museum on Oct. 17th. Minimum donation of \$100. Museum open free to all visitors.

Glen's Market: Complimentary coffee and donut holes served.

Grayling Adz-Gaylord Herald Times: Special accumulated advertising rates for all Grayling Merchants advertising for Oct. 17th Thank You Grayling Day activities.

Grayling Big Boy: Complimentary hot coffee served with any breakfast, lunch, or dinner.

Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce: Complimentary coffee and donuts served from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. during open house to view new office equipment.

Grayling Restaurant, Inc.: Big Specials: 6 a.m. to 11 a.m., Lumberjack Breakfast or Farmer's Omelet for \$2.25; 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Grilled Ham & Cheese Sandwich or Hamburger Deluxe for \$1.75; 3 p.m. to 8 p.m., Deep Fried White Fish or Liver & Onions for \$2.95.

GSB: 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. picnic style lunch with hotdogs, cider, donuts, and coffee served under the big tent.

J. Dap Co.: 15% discount on all merchandise in the Kit 'N' Caboodle gift shop.

Jan's Closet: Pop a balloon to discover discount from 10 to 50% on all regular priced merchandise. Refreshments will be served.

Mac's: 50% discount on all plush animals and gift items, plus 20% discount on all perfume.

Mercy Hospital: Complimentary cider, donut holes, and juicy, healthful apples served in Front Lobby and Emergency Room Lobby.

North Central Area Credit Union: Complimentary donuts, cookies & coffee served in celebration of Credit Union Day & Thank You Grayling Day.

Chief Shoppenagon's Hotel and Restaurant: Delicious refreshments of punch, coffee and dessert served in the hotel lobby from 2 to 6 p.m. on Oct. 17th.

Spike's Keg of Nails, Inc.: Happy Hour all day plus 50 cent discount on all sandwiches.

WGRY: Will give GPA free on air mention plus special rates on ads for Thank You Grayling Day. Visit WGRY studio for complimentary refreshments and meet "Live on air" announcers.

WUPS: Will run PSA's for Thank You Grayling Day, plus special GPA ad rates.

Weaver's Gifts: Moccasin Sales Representative will be available all day to show over 300 moccasin styles and 40% off all moccasins. Black Hills Gold Representative will also be present to display 800 jewelry pieces & 20% discount on all Black Hills Gold sales. Special hours: Open from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Weeklies, Inc.: Special articles and stories on Thank You Grayling Day.

Wurtsmith Credit Union: Complimentary donuts, cookies and coffee served in celebration of Credit Union Day & Thank You Grayling Day.

Hanson Hills/Grayling Recreation Authority: \$30 discount on all full priced family ski memberships purchased on Oct. 17th. (\$190.00 - \$30.00 = \$160.00)

Carolyn DiPonto: A donation to the Crawford County Library of a special book.

Party Line: 10% off all party wear purchased on Oct. 17th.

Kathleen's Plus: 25% discount on all coats and jackets.

Al Bennett Ford: 20% discount on all service bills for work done on Oct. 17th.



CITIZENS OF THE YEAR--Chamber board officer Donna Masker presents Steve Southard, left, and John Cherven with awards for their work on the AuSable Marathon.

Southard, Cherven Win 1991 Citizens Of The Year Awards

Although it should come as no surprise to anyone, it was a great surprise to Steve Southard and John Cherven when Donna Masker, Chamber Festival Committee Chairperson and 1992 Board Treasurer, announced that they had been selected as the 1991 "Citizens of the Year." The nominator of the two gentlemen requested to stay anonymous, however, in the justification it was stated: "A traditional event found only in Grayling, that has happened annually for over forty years is the AuSable River Canoe Marathon. This tradition requires spending a summer Saturday night, and the following day, racing down a narrow stream, in a canoe from Grayling, across the state to Oscoda and the shores of Lake Huron. Men and women who enter this event spend more time paddling continuously, than many of us spend awake during any given day. Their efforts, dedication, and endurance goes unrivaled and mostly unrecognized, within the athletic world."

"But there is another group of people who go unrecognized, besides the paddlers. They are the people who support the racers and who work for the entire year to make North America's Longest Premier Canoe Marathon happen. This work involves hundreds of personal hours away from

Membership Directory Updated

The addendum to the 1991-92 Community Guide and Business Directory will be distributed in December of this year. This will allow all members to complete their 1991-92 investment so to assure their business' inclusion in the directory. Each Chamber member business will be mailed the directory with the updated listings included. Additional Directories will be distributed at the First Annual Chamber EXPO '91 to further promote local businesses and the cooperative effort of shopping locally. If you have any corrections from the previous directory please notify the Chamber of the change immediately to assure it is noted in the next mailing.

\$10,000 Raffle Drawing Closer

Tickets are still available for the \$10,000 raffle to be held on December 7, 1991. To date, more than \$10,000 worth of tickets have already been distributed. The proceeds that are generated by the sale of the raffle tickets will help offset the previous income generated by the Chamber Pledge drive that took place three years ago. Chamber members and the community are encouraged to purchase the tickets to help support the Grayling Regional Chamber programs and operations. Several individuals can go together to purchase a \$100 ticket, however, each ticket will admit only one couple to the Raffle reception that will be held on Saturday evening, December 7, 1991. More than \$13,000 of prizes will be awarded to ticket purchasers. For example, every twenty-fifth ticket drawn will be a \$100 winner. For more information or Raffle tickets, call or stop at the Chamber office Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Scheer Motors Sponsors '91 Athena Award

This year a new award graced the Annual Chamber Ball. Traditionally an award that is presented in numerous Chambers courtesy of their local Oldsmobile Dealer, the "Athena Award" is a prestigious award that

recognizes the outstanding efforts of women who have made a significant contribution to enhancing themselves, their peers, their profession, and their community. This first Annual Athena Award was made possible through

Scheer Motors of Grayling and was presented by the owner of Scheer Motors, Mr. Brad Scheer.

The 1991 Athena Award recipient as the presenter indicated has "epitomized the criteria set for by the Athena Award Nominating Committee in Lansing who judged the applicants: She (1) Demonstrates support of the goals of professional women and provides unselfish assistance in their

behalf (2) Demonstrates excellence in her chosen profession (3) Provides valuable service to businesses and her community, as well as, (4) exhibits initiative and creativity enhancing the efficiency of business and the stability and improvement of the community." The 1991 Athena Award was presented to Jeannette Kitchen for her outstanding and ongoing support to her community, Crawford County.

60 Businesses Expected To Be At Expo '91

It is anticipated that more than sixty area businesses will be on display in the Grayling High School gymnasium during EXPO '91, an exposition that will extend for two days. The first day of EXPO '91 is being dedicated for exhibiting businesses to interface with High School students to educate them to the various services and industries

in our community. Later that day, the "Kick-Off" of the First Annual EXPO will commence at 6:30 p.m. with a ribbon cutting ceremony by state and local dignitaries, music by the Senior High School Band, and door prizes from area businesses. Doors will close at 10 p.m. that evening and re-open Saturday at 10 a.m. with more door prizes, drawings, musical entertainment, and demonstrations throughout the day. Registration information has been mailed to Chamber members and booth space is limited. Deadline for booth reservations is October 18, 1991. For more information contact the Chamber office at 348-2921.



ATHENA WINNER--Brad Scheer presents Jeannette Kitchen with the Athena Award.

Workshop Looks At Preparing 'A Winning Loan Proposal'

How to prepare and present a winning loan proposal will be the topic of "The Challenge of Banking in the 90's" seminar Thursday, October 17.

Steven J. Abercrombie, of Business Resource Services, will give the presentation sponsored by the Grayling State Bank, Old Kent Bank, and the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce. A free continental breakfast will be available for the 7:30 to 9 a.m. meeting at the Grayling Holiday Inn. Reserve a spot by calling the Chamber office, 348-2921.

Information prepared by the Chamber staff
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Crawford County's Business & Industry Showcase.....

EXPO '91

Friday & Saturday, November 8th & 9th

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- *Organized Media Coverage;
 - Exhibitor listing in the 1991 EXPO '91 Program Book
 - Invitations to the public in 4 Issues of the Crawford County Avalanche
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 - EXPO '91 articles in the "Currents of Progress" Issue
 - Radio spots on various area stations inviting guests to EXPO '91
 - All day Saturday, EXPO '91 "Live Remote" on WGRY - True Country 101
- *Professional Backdrops and Skirting to Highlight your Businesses Booth
- *The Opportunity to deal Face to Face with potential Customers in a comfortable atmosphere
- *Introduce your business and services to "EXPO '91 visitors"
- *A "BEST BOOTH AWARD" will be presented by the Chamber Board of Directors
- *The Opportunity to meet with GHS Students that may provide future employment for your business

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All for a minimal investment.....Call Chamber for Details

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courtesy of H. T. Production. The Grand Prize was a romantic getaway to Canada for two, a night stay, dinner and an excursion on the Agawa Snow Train. Additionally, more than thirty businesses helped to make the Chamber Ball a success by offering

exceptional door prizes to be given to those attending. "I would like to extend my personal thanks to everyone who helped to make the evening a great success," said Deb Allen, Chamber Exec.

Membership Phone Survey Set For October 23-24

Do you have business issues or concerns that you would like the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce to address? If so, the Chamber Board encourages you to contact the Chamber Executive or any board member to express those concerns. Additionally, on October 23 and 24, 1991, Chamber volunteers will be calling Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce Members and asking them to participate in a ten

minute survey regarding Chamber services, small business concerns and community needs. Please make a note of these dates on your calendar and prepare your staff that a volunteer may be calling to ask some questions. If you are not available for the interview a questionnaire will be mailed to your business. The Chamber can only be as effective as you would like it to be — if you are equally willing to support its programs and efforts.

It Isn't The Town

*If you want to live in the kind of town like the kind of town you like
you needn't slip your clothes in a grip, and head on a long long hike.
You'll only find what you left behind, for there's nothing that's really new,
It's a knock at yourself when you knock your town.
It isn't the town, it's ME and YOU!*

*Real towns aren't made by men afraid that someone else gets ahead.
If everyone works and no one shirks you can raise a town from the dead.
And if while you make your personal stake, your neighbor can make his too,
your town will be what you want it to be.
It isn't the town, it's ME and YOU!*

*Some people say their town is too slow. But, we know it's just not so.
It's still the "movers and shakers" that make a small town grow.
So Remember...
Our town can be what WE want it to.
It isn't the town, it's ME and YOU!*



Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce

Servicing Beaver Creek, Frederic, Grayling and Lovells Areas

We salute and thank the Grayling area businesses and residents for their ongoing support! Please join us Thursday, October 17, between 1-4 pm during our open house. Coffee and donuts will be served.

Grayling Promotional Association

Would like to say "Thank You Grayling" for a successful year in 1991. The following members would like to salute the community with these activities and specials for Thursday, October 17th.

AAA Insurance: Complimentary sweet juicy apple given to all visitors.

Advanced Business Machines: Complimentary donuts and coffee plus 25% discount on all non-sale items in stock.

Camp Grayling: A donation to the Crawford County Library of historical books.

Chemical Bank North: Complimentary cider and donuts.

Copper Kettle: Complimentary dessert served with purchase of lunch or dinner.

Cornell Insurance: Complimentary cider and donuts.

Cornell Real Estate: Enjoy complimentary cider, donuts, and sweet juicy apples.

Crawford County Avalanche: The Oct. 17th newspaper issued free to all visitors to the Avalanche office. Also, all 20 word classified and personal ads placed in the office on Oct. 17th for following week are free.

Crawford County Historical Society and Museum: Museum will be open free to all visitors. The admission fee is being paid by Georgia-Pacific.

Crawford County Library: Special raffle drawing on Oct. 17th at 5 p.m. for a "Candy Filled Trick or Treat Jar!" You may come in and sign up for the drawing anytime between now and the 17th during regular library hours.

C. F. Fick & Sons: Complimentary coffee and donuts served all day.

Georgia-Pacific: Will pay \$1 admission price to Historical Museum for each person who visits the museum on Oct. 17th. Minimum donation of \$100. Museum open free to all visitors.

Glen's Market: Complimentary coffee and donut holes served.

Grayling Adz-Gaylord Herald Times: Special accumulated advertising rates for all Grayling Merchants advertising for Oct. 17th Thank You Grayling Day activities.

Grayling Big Boy: Complimentary hot coffee served with any breakfast, lunch, or dinner.

Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce: Complimentary coffee and donuts served from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. during open house to view new office equipment.

Grayling Restaurant, Inc.: Big Specials: 6 a.m. to 11 a.m., Lumberjack Breakfast or Farmer's Omelet for \$2.25; 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Grilled Ham & Cheese Sandwich or Hamburger Deluxe for \$1.75; 3 p.m. to 8 p.m., Deep Fried White Fish or Liver & Onions for \$2.95.

GSB: 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. picnic style lunch with hotdogs, cider, donuts, and coffee served under the big tent.

J. Dap Co.: 15% discount on all merchandise in the Kit 'N' Caboodle gift shop.

Jan's Closet: Pop a balloon to discover discount from 10 to 50% on all regular priced merchandise. Refreshments will be served.

Mac's: 50% discount on all plush animals and gift items, plus 20% discount on all perfume.

Mercy Hospital: Complimentary cider, donut holes, and juicy, healthful apples served in Front Lobby and Emergency Room Lobby.

North Central Area Credit Union: Complimentary donuts, cookies & coffee served in celebration of Credit Union Day & Thank You Grayling Day.

Chief Shoppemagon's Hotel and Restaurant: Delicious refreshments of punch, coffee and dessert served in the hotel lobby from 2 to 6 p.m. on Oct. 17th.

Spike's Keg of Nails, Inc.: Happy Hour all day plus 50 cent discount on all sandwiches.

WGRY: Will give GPA free on air mention plus special rates on ads for Thank You Grayling Day. Visit WGRY studio for complimentary refreshments and meet "Live on air" announcers.

WUPS: Will run PSA's for Thank You Grayling Day, plus special GPA ad rates.

Weaver's Gifts: Moccasin Sales Representative will be available all day to show over 300 moccasin styles and 40% off all moccasins. Black Hills Gold Representative will also be present to display 800 jewelry pieces & 20% discount on all Black Hills Gold sales. Special hours: Open from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Weeklies, Inc.: Special articles and stories on Thank You Grayling Day.

Wurtsmith Credit Union: Complimentary donuts, cookies and coffee served in celebration of Credit Union Day & Thank You Grayling Day.

Hanson Hills/Grayling Recreation Authority: \$30 discount on all full priced family ski memberships purchased on Oct. 17th. (\$190.00 - \$30.00 = \$160.00)

Carolyn DiPonio: A donation to the Crawford County Library of a special book.

Party Line: 10% off all party wear purchased on Oct. 17th.

Kathleen's Plus: 25% discount on all coats and jackets.

Al Bennett Ford: 20% discount on all service bills for work done on Oct. 17th.



CITIZENS OF THE YEAR--Chamber board officer Donna Masker presents Steve Southard, left, and John Cherven with awards for their work on the AuSable Marathon.

Southard, Cherven Win 1991 Citizens Of The Year Awards

Although it should come as no surprise to anyone, it was a great surprise to Steve Southard and John Cherven when Donna Masker, Chamber Festival Committee Chairperson and 1992 Board Treasurer, announced that they had been selected as the 1991 "Citizens of the Year." The nominator of the two gentlemen requested to stay anonymous, however, in the justification it was stated: "A traditional event found only in Grayling, that has happened annually for over forty years is the AuSable River Canoe Marathon. This tradition requires spending a summer Saturday night, and the following day, racing down a narrow stream, in a canoe from Grayling, across the state to Oscoda and the shores of Lake Huron. Men and women who enter this event spend more time paddling continuously, than many of us spend awake during any given day. Their efforts, dedication, and endurance goes unrivaled and mostly unrecognized, within the athletic world."

"But there is another group of people who go unrecognized, besides the paddlers. They are the people who support the racers and who work for the entire year to make North America's Longest Premier Canoe Marathon happen. This work involves hundreds of personal hours away from

Membership Directory Updated

The addendum to the 1991-92 Community Guide and Business Directory will be distributed in December of this year. This will allow all members to complete their 1991-92 investment so to assure their business' inclusion in the directory. Each Chamber member business will be mailed the directory with the updated listings included. Additional Directories will be distributed at the First Annual Chamber EXPO '91 to further promote local businesses and the cooperative effort of shopping locally. If you have any corrections from the previous directory please notify the Chamber of the change immediately to assure it is noted in the next mailing.

\$10,000 Raffle Drawing Closer

Tickets are still available for the \$10,000 raffle to be held on December 7, 1991. To date, more than \$10,000 worth of tickets have already been distributed. The proceeds that are generated by the sale of the raffle tickets will help offset the previous income generated by the Chamber Pledge drive that took place three years ago. Chamber members and the community are encouraged to purchase the tickets to help support the Grayling Regional Chamber programs and operations. Several individuals can go together to purchase a \$100 ticket, however, each ticket will admit only one couple to the Raffle reception that will be held on Saturday evening, December 7, 1991. More than \$13,000 of prizes will be awarded to ticket purchasers. For example, every twenty-fifth ticket drawn will be a \$100 winner. For more information or Raffle tickets, call or stop at the Chamber office Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Scheer Motors Sponsors '91 Athena Award

This year a new award graced the Annual Chamber Ball. Traditionally an award that is presented in numerous Chambers courtesy of their local Oldsmobile Dealer, the "Athena Award" is a prestigious award that

recognizes the outstanding efforts of women who have made a significant contribution to enhancing themselves, their peers, their profession, and their community. This first Annual Athena Award was made possible through

Scheer Motors of Grayling and was presented by the owner of Scheer Motors, Mr. Brad Scheer.

The 1991 Athena Award recipient as the presenter indicated has "epitomized the criteria set for by the Athena Award Nominating Committee in Lansing who judged the applicants: She (1) Demonstrates support of the goals of professional women and provides unselfish assistance in their

behalf (2) Demonstrates excellence in her chosen profession (3) Provides valuable service to businesses and her community, as well as, (4) exhibits initiative and creativity enhancing the efficiency of business and the stability and improvement of the community." The 1991 Athena Award was presented to Jeannette Kitchen for her outstanding and ongoing support to her community, Crawford County.

60 Businesses Expected To Be At Expo '91

It is anticipated that more than sixty area businesses will be on display in the Grayling High School gymnasium during EXPO '91, an exposition that will extend for two days. The first day of EXPO '91 is being dedicated for exhibiting businesses to interface with High School students to educate them to the various services and industries

in our community. Later that day, the "Kick-Off" of the First Annual EXPO will commence at 6:30 p.m. with a ribbon cutting ceremony by state and local dignitaries, music by the Senior High School Band, and door prizes from area businesses. Doors will close at 10 p.m. that evening and re-open Saturday at 10 a.m. with more door prizes, drawings, musical entertainment, and demonstrations throughout the day. Registration information has been mailed to Chamber members and booth space is limited. Deadline for booth reservations is October 18, 1991. For more information contact the Chamber office at 348-2921.



ATHENA WINNER--Brad Scheer presents Jeannette Kitchen with the Athena Award.

dedication, hard work and contributions to this community." Well put and congratulations to our Award recipients.

Workshop Looks At Preparing 'A Winning Loan Proposal'

How to prepare and present a winning loan proposal will be the topic of "The Challenge of Banking in the 90's" seminar Thursday, October 17. Steven J. Abercrombie, of Business Resource Services, will give the presentation sponsored by the Grayling

State Bank, Old Kent Bank, and the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce. A free continental breakfast will be available for the 7:30 to 9 a.m. meeting at the Grayling Holiday Inn. Reserve a spot by calling the Chamber office, 348-2921.

Information prepared by the Chamber staff
Photos by Jim Adams

Crawford County's Business & Industry Showcase.....

EXPO '91

Friday & Saturday, November 8th & 9th

YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO "SHOW OFF" YOUR BUSINESS TO POTENTIAL CUSTOMERS, FELLOW AREA BUSINESSES AND RESIDENTS

AS A 1991 EXPO PARTICIPANT YOU WILL BE ENTITLED TO THE FOLLOWING:

- *A Special Exhibitor Reception with Local, County, and State Dignitaries at the Grayling Holiday Inn sponsored by the Grayling Chamber of Commerce and Mich Con Gas
- *Organized Media Coverage;
 - Exhibitor listing in the 1991 EXPO '91 Program Book
 - Invitations to the public in 4 Issues of the Crawford County Avalanche
 - Invitations and articles in three additional Area Papers; The Herald Times, Traverse City Record Eagle and Roscommon County Herald
 - EXPO '91 articles in the "Currents of Progress" Issue
 - Radio spots on various area stations inviting guests to EXPO '91
 - All day Saturday, EXPO '91 "Live Remote" on WGRY - True Country 101
- *Professional Backdrops and Skirting to Highlight your Businesses Booth
- *The Opportunity to deal Face to Face with potential Customers in a comfortable atmosphere
- *Introduce your business and services to "EXPO '91 visitors"
- *A "BEST BOOTH AWARD" will be presented by the Chamber Board of Directors
- *The Opportunity to meet with GHS Students that may provide future employment for your business

AND, the Honor of TAKING PRIDE IN YOUR COMMUNITY!

All for a minimal investment.....Call Chamber for Details

348-2921

October Is National Restaurant Month



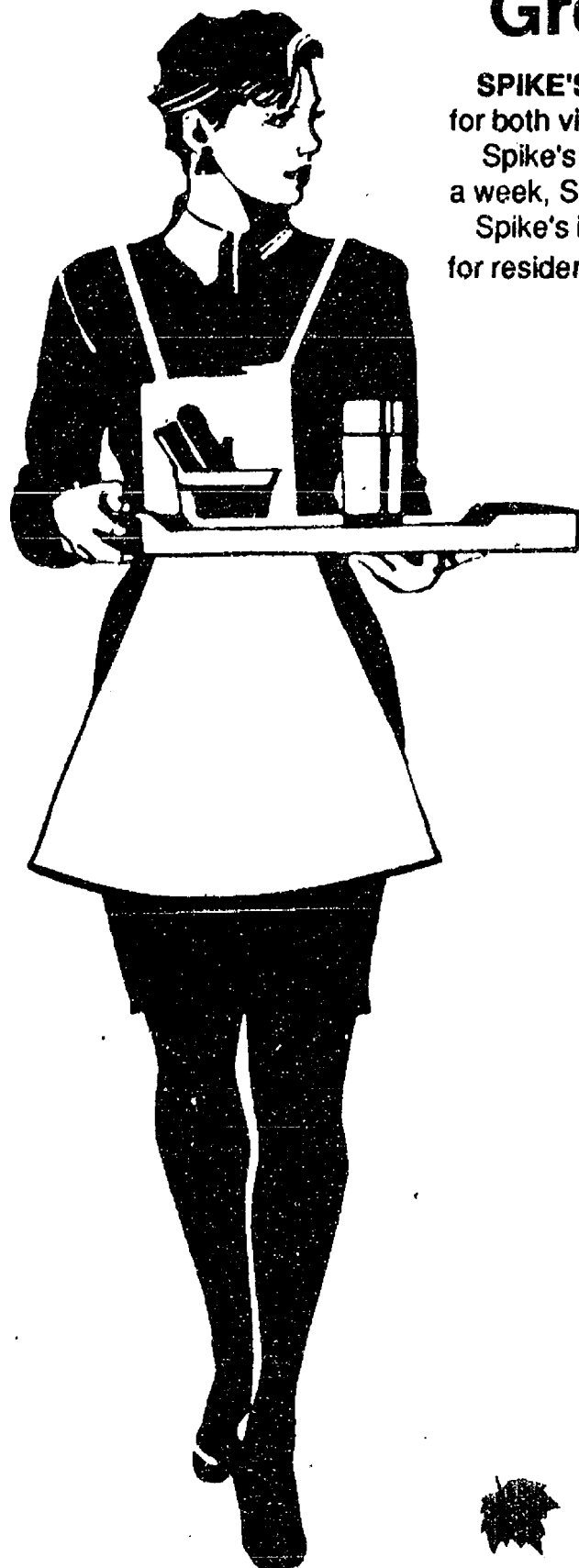
FRIENDLY SERVICE--Hodder's Dinner Bell is known as a friendly place with good food.



GATHERING PLACE--For decades, Spike's has been a meeting place to eat, drink, and visit.

Great Dining Found Right In Grayling

SPIKE'S is as well-known to northern Michigan travelers as the AuSable River. It's been a meeting place for both visitors and local residents ever since automobiles started bringing people into Grayling. Spike's has brought back its popular Friday Night Fish Fry to add to its regular menu. Open seven days a week, Spike's is a great late night place to eat and take-out food is available until 1:30 a.m. Spike's is located in downtown Grayling--a convenient place for gathering for visitors passing through or for residents looking for a fun place to eat.





Featuring Fresh Roast Turkey Dinner w/stuffing, Every Sunday Noon to Close

Full Menu Available
Steak, Shrimp, Fish, Homemade Soups, Delicious Pies, Children's Menu
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SOUP, SALAD & FRUIT BAR
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Now when you purchase most dinner entrees, you'll get our famous Soup, Salad and Fruit Bar FREE!

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"Home of the Lumber Jack Breakfast"



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FISH FRY - \$4.95
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 ALL FOOD AVAILABLE FOR TAKE-OUT UNTIL 1:30 A.M.


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WONDERFUL ATMOSPHERE--The Iron Gate Restaurant features a tranquil and beautiful dining area.



IRON GATE RESTAURANT

*** Daily Lunch Specials ***

Monday - Hot Turkey Sandwich.....	\$3.95
Tuesday - Meat Loaf.....	\$3.95
Wednesday - Scalloped Potatoes with Ham.....	\$4.25
or Beef BBQ.....	\$3.95
Thursday - Beef Stew with Homemade Biscuits.....	\$3.95
Friday - Macaroni and Cheese.....	\$3.95
or Tuna Melt.....	\$3.95
Saturday - Hot Beef Sandwich.....	\$3.95
Sunday - Turkey and Dressing.....	\$5.25
or Beef and Dressing.....	\$5.25
Soup or Chili and Sandwich Buffet.	
Daily..... \$4.25	

Private Parties And Catering Available
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Breakfast & Lunch 6:30 - 2
7 Days a Week
Dinners 5 - 9 Mon. & Wed. Thru Sat

Grayling Offers Unique Dining Places

THE IRON GATE RESTAURANT gives its customers a quiet, wonderful atmosphere for dining. The beautifully decorated restaurant goes together graciously with a serene natural setting surrounding the dining area.

Fine food is served seven days a week 6:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. for breakfast and lunch. Dinners are available 5-9 p.m. Monday and Wednesday through Saturday.

Daily lunch specials are offered and the restaurant is available for private parties or catering services.

HODDER'S DINNER BELL boasts of friendly service and delicious homemade food. The Hodders re-opened the Dinner Bell this summer and re-established it as one of the restaurants visitors and local people gather at.

The restaurant offers a full menu 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Sunday through Thursday and 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Breakfast is served any time. A roast turkey dinner is available every Sunday and other specialties include homemade soup and a children's menu.

If you haven't visited the Dinner Bell since it re-opened, now is the time to discover the good food and friendly service there.

**Celebrate The Month
Of October And Make
Dining Out A Regular
Part Of Your Week At
One Of These Fine
Grayling Area
Restaurants.**





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Monday thru Thursday
Between 4pm & 6pm
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Family Restaurant & Caterer
6 to 8 Sunday - Thursday, 6 to 9 Friday & Saturday
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The Grayling Holiday Inn

**Invites you to put on your
costume and join us for a
Halloween Party**

at the Speak Easy Saloon
Thursday, October 31st 9am to 1:30 am

Live Entertainment
with the band **"SNAPP"**

Costume Judging at Midnight
1st Prize: \$100 - 2nd Prize: \$50
3rd Prize: Dinner for 2
(\$25 Limit)



Holiday Inn

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(517) 348-7611 • 1-800-292-9055



Nightly Dinner Specials

TRY ANY OF THESE FAVORITES

Sunday- Family Buffet - Entrees Vary. Some Favorites Include, Stuffed Cabbage, Lasagna, Fried Chicken, Glazed Ham, Complete With Salad & Dessert Bar\$6.25

Tuesday- Chicken Perigodine - An 8 Oz. Boneless, Skinless Chicken Breast, Sauteed With Lemon, Garlic, White Wine And Mushrooms. Served On Fresh Steamed Broccoli Spears With Butter Sauce. Sided By Rice Pilaf, Tossed Salad And Roll.....\$8.95
Also Our Famous Fish Fry- What a Treat!.....\$5.95

Wednesday- BBQ Ribs - A Generous Rack of Baby Back Ribs, Charcoal Broiled With Tom's Special Sauce. Served With Tossed Salad, French Fries And Roll.....\$7.45

Thursday- Senior Citizen Buffet - Entrees Vary. Some Favored Items Include; Fried Chicken, Liver And Onions, Roast Beef, Glazed Ham, Complete With Salad And Dessert Bar.....\$6.25
Seniors.....\$4.50

Friday- Chief's Famous Fish Fry - Delightful Cod. Prepared Broiled Or Deep Fried, Served Family Style With French Fries and Salad Bar.....\$5.95

Saturday- Chief's Gourmet Buffet - Crab Legs Headline This Bountiful Array Of Entrees, 47 Items, Such As Scallops, Shrimp, Fresh Broiled Fish, Steamship Round. We Also Feature Our BBQ Ribs, Chicken Dishes And A Wonderful Salad And Dessert Bar.....\$14.95

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Supported Employment Helps Handicapped Workers

"Invest in Abilities" Week is underway October 6-12 to focus attention on what the handicapped can do, said Arlene Williams, Supported Employment Job Training specialist for R.O.O.C. Inc., which serves Roscommon, Ogemaw, Oscoda, and Crawford counties. Supported Employment is designed for the mentally and physically challenged who require ongoing support in order to acquire and maintain employment. The program gives dignity and hope to people who may have otherwise been institutionalized. Supported

Employment is based on the premise that work should be accessible to everyone, regardless of disability. "It gives people who need some help a chance to be part of society," said Williams. Supported Employment provides on-site training, quality control of the work, transportation assistance, employer and employee consultation and tax credits for firms that participate. "We want to make sure that all people in our program are qualified, dependable, and conscientious," Williams said. Supported

Employment provides job coaches for workers in the program to make sure the quality of the work is good and to help solve any problems that may arise. The program started about two years ago and a great deal of time has been spent raising the consciousness of area employers and letting them know why it makes for good business to hire the handicapped, said Williams. Larry Meier, Director of R.O.O.C. Vocational Center in Roscommon, said his programs include people with mental and physical disabilities as well

as various other conditions, such as Spina Bifida, Closed Head Injuries, Severe Arthritic Conditions, Visual and Hearing Impaired, Kidney disease, Heart disease, Drug Abuse, as well as those who suffer from mental illness. Meier said, through Supported Employment, R.O.O.C. works closely with the Michigan Department of Education's Rehabilitation Services in finding employment opportunities for the handicapped.

Bits Of Talk

by Fay Bovée

Jennifer Naour is now a student at Alma College after having transferred from Michigan State. Her parents, John and Norma Naour, attended Parent Day at Alma on September 28, 1991, and took in the activities planned for the parents. Jennifer is majoring in Elementary Education. Bruce and Corrine Smith spent a week in the Upper Peninsula where

they visited her sisters and families, Dizzy and Melba Dupuis and George and Arlene Stevens. Bruce did some bird hunting while they were there. Kerry Cornell, daughter of Kim Smith Armour of Washington, Georgia, and granddaughter of Bruce and Corrine Smith, is a freshman at Harris Young College in Georgia.

Cards of Thanks

The Crawford County board of the American Cancer Society and the committee for Localmotion '91 want to thank all of the businesses and individuals who participated in and supported our fundraiser. Those businesses include: Glen's Market, Dr. Ramaswamy, Old Kent Bank, Georgia Pacific, Mercy Hospital, Bear's Country Inn, Grayling Farm Market, Izzy the Clown, Passageways Travel, Rochette's IGA, Hardee's, Jim Nye, and the United Way. Localmotion '91 raised over \$4,000 to aid in the fight against cancer.

Cards of Thanks

Pack 3993 Sincerely thanks Camp AuSable for the wonderful job they did for our Scout Round-up. It was a big success.

Obituaries

Willard Packard

Willard C. Packard, 73, of Vero Beach Florida, died September 28, 1991, at Indian River Memorial Hospital, after a brief illness. There are no services and donations may be made to the American Cancer Society. Mr. Packard was born July 28, 1918, in Leslie, and lived in Vero Beach, Florida for three years. He attended Ford Motor Company's Engineer Training Program at Michigan State University and worked for Ford Motor Company in Detroit, through WWII. He then became a master electrician and established an electrical contracting business, Packard Electric Company, in Detroit, and did business there for 25 years.

Moving to Grayling in 1969, he continued in the electrical contracting business for several years and then obtained his real estate salesman/broker's license and operated as a Broker/Developer for 15 years in both Grayling and Mio, where he also owned Eagle Realty Company, and the Alpine Motel. He was a member of the I.B.E.W. Local #59 Electrical Union and was also a member and contributor to the Lion's Club Charity Organization in Detroit. He was a private pilot and flew occasionally for the Civil Air Patrol in Grayling. Survivors include: wife, Carol J. Packard of Vero Beach, Florida; brother, Joy E. Packard of Ormond Beach, Florida; sister, Estelle Johnson; sons, Willard C. Packard, Jr., of Lake Forest, Illinois, and James L. Packard of Leelanau; daughters, Judith A. Gordon of Petoskey, and Gayle P. D'Haeseleer of Vero Beach, Florida; 11 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Harold Baker

Harold E. Baker, 50, of Grayling, died Monday in Beaver Creek Township. Friends may call Sorenson Funeral Home for details, 348-2951.

Correction

In the obituary of Dewitt James Fairgrieve published in the October 3rd, 1991, issue of the Avalanche, the family name of Fairgrieve was spelled incorrectly. The Avalanche apologizes for the error.

Bowling League

Sunday Afternoon Fun League	Triangle League	Northwood League
Milltown Drywall 15	Rosc. Family Dentistry 51-29	Faustmans Ins. 14
Spikes Keg O Nails 12	Stitches by Sue 47-33	Graceful Grammas 12.5
Murdick's Fudge 12	Red Barn 47-33	Dr. Dean 11.5
Vic Parsons 11	Ed's Team 41-39	Bubbles Belles 11
Helsels Forest Products 11	R & R Auto 39-41	Boono Cuts 11
Grayling Restaurant 9	Milltown Feed 29-51	Ben Franklin 8
Trails Campground 7	Silver Dollar 29-35	Team #8 7
Carquest 3	Joe's 21-43	Ghosts 5
Men's High Game: P. Hetrick, 201, 189, B. Annis, 188, T. Kotrash, 182. Men's High Series: P. Hetrick, 556, B. Annis, 516, T. Kotrash, 514. Women's High Game: S. Romain, 169, B. Walker, 161, D. Royce, 158. Women's High Series: B. Walker, 468, S. Romain, 440, C. Moon, 433.	High Game: J. Southard, 226, T. McNicholls, 202, K. Bragg, 198. High Series: K. Rucinski, 543, R. Pyle, 527, J. Southard, 503.	High Game: D. Gildner, 201, P. Papendick, 176, D. Helsel, 173. High Series: M. Malone, 477, D. Helsel, 471, D. Gildner, 469.
National 1st Division	Senior Citizen Bowling	Sunday Nite Mixed Doubles
Budweiser 13	Flowers 12	Duey's 14-6
Legion Lounge 13	Looney Tunes 11	Rochette's IGA 12.5-7.5
Copper Kettle 10	Bucall's 10	Down River Ace 11.5-8.5
Carlisle Paddles 10	Weaver's 9	Drakes 11-9
Bear's Country Inn 9	McLean's 8	R & K Wakefield 9-11
G-P Products 9	R & H Sports 6	R & R Auto Sales 8-12
Eagles #3465 8	Larry & Joan's 6	Custom Interiors 8-12
Northland Appliance 8	Connell's 2	Raber Bay Bandits 6-14
High Game: J. Smock, 205, D. Canfield, 204, M. Millikin, 200. High Series: J. Smock, 561, M. Millikin, 539, K. Beat, 520.	Men's High Game: E. Wilde, 213, V. Kulick, 210, B. Burrick, 204. Men's High Series: B. Burrick, 527, D. Germain, 524, E. Wilde, 519. Women's High Game: A. Roman, 194, G. Germain, 158, L. Ochalek, 154. Women's High Series: A. Roman, 449, F. Weaver, 438, R. Stimpson, 410.	Men's High Game: R. Kea, 200, W. Fedewa, 200, E. Harris, 183. Men's High Series: R. Kea, 550, W. Fedewa, 542, E. Harris, 506. Women's High Game: F. Brooks, 173, B. LaMotte, 172, J. Hinds, 172. Women's High Series: T. Hellebuyck, 486, N. Glassee, 483, J. Hinds, 473.
Recreation League	Pioneer League	American 1st Division
Shell Haven 15	Mercy Hospital 13-3	Milan Supply 11
Bears Country Inn 13.5	Aunt Betty's 11-5	John-Al Const. 10
Fabiano Bros. 12	Dawsons 8-8	K of C #1 10
Holiday Inn 9.5	Avalanche 8-8	Helsel's Firewood 8
Glen's Market 9	Chemical Bank 7-9	Bear's Country Inn 8
Connell Real Estate 7.5	Millikins 6-10	Milltown Drywall 6
Sears 7	F.O.E. Aux. 3465 5-11	Just Friends 6
Mickey Perez 6.5	Skips Sport Shop 5-11	K of C #2 5
High Game: G. Neilson, 189, B. Pryor, 182, J. Harwood, C. Haranczak, 177. High Series: G. Neilson, 504, B. Pryor, 455, A. Latusek, 451.	High Game: P. Kucharek, 186, S. Parker, 186, H. Larm, 180. High Series: N. Glassee, 480, D. Crull, 476, H. Larm, 462.	High Game: J. Cherven, 221, D. Lozon, 199, S. Moon, 199. High Series: J. Cherven, 564, D. Canfield, 515, C. Golinick, 513.
Thursday Coffee League	Friday Night Mixed Doubles	American 2nd Division
Dan's Dolls 18	Pizza Hut 10-6	American Legion 10
Legion Lanes 11	Aunt Betty's Restaurant 9-7	Patt's 9
New Life 11	Schreiber Construction 9-7	Northland App. 9
Spikes 9	Moshier Auto Repair 8-8	Skip's 9
Airway 9	CSI Industrial Systems 8-8	McLean's Ace 8
AuSable Const. 8	Deb & Dale's 4-12	Hardee's 7
Helsels Firewood 7	Men's High Game: R. Moshier, 184, H. Baker, 181, J. Campbell, 171. Men's High Series: H. Baker, 485, J. Campbell, 483, R. Moshier, 465.	Glen's 5
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SOCCER SCRIMMAGE--GHS junior Sean Mirate and sophomore Ron Hough, of the Grayling United independent soccer team, are on the offense in a scrimmage against the local 8th grade team. On defense are Travis Weaver and Sean Casey.

JV Girls Win Two More

The Grayling High School girls junior varsity basketball team picked up a couple more wins last week, when they beat both Whittemore-Prentiss on Tuesday and Gladwin on Thursday.

"This was the best ball game of the year," said Coach Dallas Hudson of the 49-33 victory over the Cardinals. "Our game plan was worked to perfection. We kept the Whittemore team off-balance all night."

The entire team had a strong defensive game, he said.

Freshman Nicole Parker led the Viking scoring effort with 12 points. Sophomore Suzy Lovely added ten; sophomore Jaime Andrus, nine; sophomores Mande Micek, Darcie McCurdy and Valerie Elmy, four apiece; and sophomores Amy Furst, Jessica McClain and Amanda Bankert, two apiece.

Coach Hudson said that Lovely played her best game of the year.

"She rebounded and shot well and played excellent defense."

Headed, "Jaime Andrus was given

the duty of defending Whittemore's best player. She did an excellent job by keeping her to only eight points and rebounding against her real well."

GLADWIN VICTORY

The news was equally good two evenings later when the JV Vikings beat the Flying Gs, 49-37.

Again the team played a strong game, working their game plan perfectly.

Micek led the Vikings with 12 points; Parker had ten; Lovely, eight; McCurdy, five; McClain, four; and Furst, Andrus, Bankert and sophomores Jennifer Fassinger and Melissa Wakeley, two each.

"Mande Micek had her best game of the year," said Hudson. "Suzy Lovely played an excellent ball game on defense and offense. Darcie McCurdy had an excellent ball game by controlling the boards. The bench played a good game when they went in to sub."

"This team is learning something in every game they play and improving with each one," concluded Hudson.

The Vikings now travel to Rogers

City on Thursday, October 10, for a 6:15 p.m. game.

"The Hurons are fast and like to win," said Hudson. "They play the same type of ball as we do. It will be a good match for us."

8th Grade Teams Both Notch Victories

The Grayling Middle School 8th grade girls basketball A team increased their season record to 4-1 with a 23-22 victory over Gaylord St. Mary on October 2.

The Snowbirds led after half-time, with the Vikings down six points with three minutes left to play.

Grayling put its defensive press into action, "enabling us to get the ball back and score," said Coach Jim Parker.

The last one and a half minutes were a seesaw battle between the teams, but Grayling scored with 14 seconds remaining and then held St. Mary for a close win.

"The team never gave up," said Coach Parker.

B TEAM

The Grayling Middle School 8th grade girls basketball B team battled West Branch St. Joseph on the same evening, coming up with a 23-20 win.

"The entire team came out flat in the first half," said Coach John Smock.

The Vikings got into some early foul trouble and their turnovers were up considerably from earlier games.

"It definitely hurts when you lose Jennifer Pahssen and Sarah Medler to fouls. We need those two in the line-

up in order to win."

But the 8th graders "turned it on in the second half" for their close win.

He said that it turned out to be an excellent game for the whole squad, particularly in the rebounding column where the team accumulated an impressive 43. Trisha Ormsbee and Pahssen had 11 rebounds each.

"Kathy Galloway and Joni St. Clair did a great job coming off the bench," said Coach Smock. "Point guard Sarah Medler again played a strong defensive game as did Jaymie Corlew."

Smock added, "This team has a tremendous backing by the parents of the players. It certainly makes a difference in the girls' performance when they look up and see their parents there. They make my job easier."

Smock said he expects another tough game when they face Roscommon. (Both 8th grade squads host the Bucks on Monday, October 14, with the B team tipping off at 6 p.m.)

Although the Vikings beat the Bucks by two points in their first contest, of the 1991 season, Smock said, "We will have to avoid coming out flat if we are to win."

The B squad's season record currently stands at 3-1.

Junior Pro Basketball

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Team	W-L
Glen's Markets Spartans	5-0
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Team	W-L
Laurines Wolverines	5-0
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Grayling Soccer Team Beats Traverse City Bays 3-1

The newly formed independent Grayling United soccer team beat the T.C. Bays of Traverse City, 3-1, on September 28.

"This was a big test for us," said Coach Jerry Casey. "Last year, when we were a club team, we played two Traverse City teams. We gave them pretty good battles but they whipped us."

This time, the opponents dominated the first half of the match. Although there were "a lot of saves" by goalie Scott Garner, the Bays led, 1-0, at the end of the period.

But Grayling showed renewed determination in the second half when they scored three goals.

SCRIMMAGE WIN

Grayling United also won a scrimmage, 4-3, against Roscommon on September 25.

They played two 30-minute periods—shorter than the regulation 40-minute halves in regular games—because it was an evening contest on a field without lights.

"The weather factor—it was cold and rainy—hurt us," said Coach Casey. "We were behind, 3-1, and things looked pretty bleak for Grayling."

But the team rallied in the final 15 minutes to pull off their victory.

Coming back from behind like that doesn't happen often in soccer, said Casey. "So I have to give the team a lot of credit."

The Grayling United offense consists of Grayling High School juniors Andy Lochner, Clem Lochner and Caleb Casey and freshmen Jason Weber and Shane Hinkle.

Again goalie Garner had several saves.

"He kept us alive," said Casey.

TEAM HISTORY

Grayling United is an independently sponsored team that branched out from the seven-year-old local 4-H youth soccer program, which is "going great guns," according to Casey.

4-H divides the players into three teams: 3rd-4th graders, 5th-6th graders and 7th graders.

There is also an 8th grade travel team, sanctioned by the Michigan State Youth Soccer Association and coached by Steve Langseth.

They played last spring and enjoyed great success, said Casey. So it was natural that many of them progressed to his team, also sanctioned by the M.S.Y.S.A., this fall.

Grayling United consists of senior high school students who can be no older than 17 on August 1.

Casey hopes to make soccer, which can be a fall or spring sport, into a regular GHS extracurricular team.

"I believe we have enough potential and talent to be competitive and make it worthwhile," he said. "We have a pool of athletes that goes beyond those playing football. It doesn't steal from

that program. There is room for both."

He continued, "Soccer is great conditioning for other sports in the schools, especially basketball and baseball. There is a lot of running and skills work."

Soccer, with two halves in which no time-outs are permitted, is non-stop action (although players can sub in and out when the ball is out of play).

Casey also hopes to see a junior varsity soccer team.

"There are 16 8th graders who are very competitive. There is a lot of potential for a JV team with them."

Grayling United hosts the T.C. Bays on Saturday, October 12, on the soccer field at the Crawford County Fairgrounds, at 2 p.m.

The team is also sponsoring a pledge-a-thon on the 12th at 1:30 p.m. to raise funds for equipment.

The fund raiser will include three events: throw-in, drop kick and goal kick.

The money for the team uniforms—including shirts, shorts, socks, shoes and shin guards—came from the players, which Casey says he feels demonstrates their interest.

The field has been provided by the fair committee and the equipment by 4-H.

But now the team needs to generate additional funds to pay for goalie gloves, balls and practice jerseys.

Defense Keys 7th Grade 19-16 Win

The Grayling Middle School 7th grade girls basketball A team won their fifth straight game last Wednesday when they defeated Gaylord St. Mary, 19-16.

Annie Henion and Michelle Duncley shared high scoring honors with six points apiece.

"Again, defense was the key to Grayling's victory," said Coach Harold Mertes. "Michelle Duncley and Stacey Putnam played outstanding defense. Their rebounding, pass interceptions and hustle after loose balls hampered St. Mary's offense."

He continued, "The ball handling skills and accurate passing of Duncley and Nikki Schormack held down Grayling's turnover rate and was a big factor in preserving our lead in the fourth quarter when St. Mary pressed." Mertes said the game highlight was the play by the Viking bench.

"After two starters fouled out and another was in foul trouble, Nicole Miller, Bethany Pettyjohn and Jodie

Gay entered the game and maintained the high level of defensive play the team is noted for."

"I am very pleased with their skill development and hard game play."

B SQUAD ACTION

The 7th grade B team defeated West Branch St. Joseph, 39-10, on the same evening.

Seven of eight team members scored in the game against St. Joseph and very team member had at least two rebounds, said Coach Jim Ritter.

Jessica Waite led the scoring with ten points and Nina VerWys added another eight for the Vikings.

"We were well balanced in both scoring and minutes played," said Coach Ritter. "The deceptive part of the score is that we scored 27 points in the second half and 16 points in the fourth quarter while only allowing our opponent four points in the second half."

The 7th graders travel to Roscommon on Monday, October 14, with the B team contest beginning at 6 p.m.

Freshman Squad Splits Against Kalkaska, Roscommon

The Grayling High School girls freshman basketball team split a pair of games last week, beating Kalkaska but falling to Roscommon.

On October 2, the Vikings rallied to overcome a first half deficit to beat the Kalkaska Blue Blazers, 29-24.

Samara Sabin and Lynne Rochette were high scorers with six points each. Carol Lanczy and Danyell Galvani followed closely with five apiece. Jessica Hall contributed five. Kim Haske added three and also rebounded well for the Vikes.

"The team played tough defense and passed and shot well on offense, especially in the second half," said

Coach Mark Hartman. "The girls really wanted this one since we lost to Kalkaska the first time by two in overtime."

ROSCOMMON GAME

In their September 30 contest, however, the freshman squad fell to the Bucks, 45-27.

Misty Burden led the Viking scoring attack with eight points; Rochette, Lanczy and Haske had three each; and Hall, Angie Young, Trish Straw, Galvani and Sabin added two apiece.

"We fell behind early and we just had a hard time coming back," said Coach Hartman. "The girls played pretty good offense, but it just wasn't enough to overcome the early deficit."

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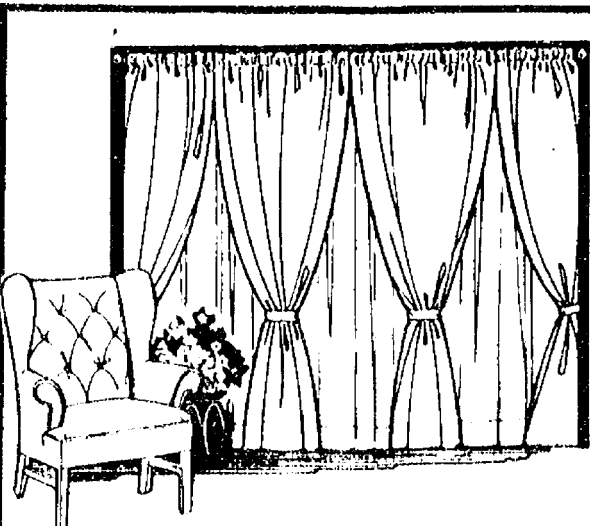
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Team Effort Gives GHS Two Wins In A Row

The Grayling High School girls varsity basketball team was victorious in both of their games last week, defeating Whittemore-Prescott on October 1 and Gladwin on the 3rd.

"I hope it's a trend we're setting," said Coach Howard Lehti. "I'm proud of their efforts. Hopefully things are starting to look up."

It was the Vikings with 50 to Whittemore's 44 last Tuesday.

Grayling was off to an excellent start, taking a 15-4 lead at the end of the first period. They stalled out in the second (21-16) and fell behind in the third (29-32).

Grayling shot a poor 29 percent from the floor in the third quarter while Whittemore played aggressive defense, outscored the Vikings, 16-8, and "proved that the ball game was not over," said Coach Lehti.

But the fourth period saw a rebirth of Viking determination, with GHS outscoring the Cardinals, 21-12.

Junior guard Heidi Craigie made a key three-point basket midway through the quarter to give the team a six-point lead and to "ignite the Viking effort," said Lehti.

Grayling had good offensive play by sophomore guard Angie Mertes who scored six of her eight points in that period.

Junior center Valorie Schans came off the bench to do a nice job for the Vikings in the last period.

Junior guard Elissa Cox added eight of her 12 points for the Viking cause in the fourth.

In individual statistics, junior Amy Vandecar had three points, eight rebounds, one assist and one steal.

"She was good on the boards but used sporadically as she got into early foul trouble," said Lehti.

Craigie has six points, two rebounds, two assists and three steals.

Senior Brenda Moshier made nine points, had a season high 19 rebounds, two assists and two steals.

"She had an excellent ball game and accomplished everything despite the fact that she fouled out in the middle of the fourth quarter," said Lehti.

Mertes had eight points, two rebounds, one assist and four steals.

"This was her best game to this point," said Lehti. "She's becoming a stronger ball player."

Junior Sarah Mlcek made six points and 11 rebounds.

"She did a nice job," said Lehti.

"Although she fouled out in the fourth quarter, her accomplishments helped and she was an important part of the total team effort to win."

Senior Andrea Austin had two rebounds, one assist and one steal.

"She did a nice job filling in after the starters fouled out. It's important to have a balanced bench. Ours has been given experience. Without that, we would have lost the game," said Lehti.

Junior Heather Millikin had one steal.

Schans had four points, six rebounds and two steals.

"She had a real good second half with a lot of playing time," said Lehti.

"She did an excellent job hitting the boards and got key rebounds in the fourth quarter."

Senior Michelle Parker had two points.

Cox made 12 points and seven "key" rebounds—her high in the rebounding column for the season.

"She had a nice ball game," said Lehti.

The Vikings still have to work on their free throw shooting. They were only 13 for 38—34 percent—as opposed to Whittemore's 50 percent success rate.

This important ball game gave Grayling a division victory and tied them at 1-2 with Rogers City for 3rd place.

Lincoln-Alcona holds 1st place (3-0) and Onaway is in 2nd (2-1). Whittemore-Prescott is in 4th place (0-3).

GLADWIN VICTORY

The Vikings beat Gladwin, 45-41, on Thursday evening.

The Flying Gs led, 10-4, at the end of one period. But Grayling came back to score "19 big ones" and play an excellent second quarter to regain the lead, 23-18. It was 36-23 at the end of three, another good quarter for the Vikings.

In personal statistics, Vandecar had 12 points, seven rebounds, one assist and five steals.

"Most of her steals were converted to lay-ups," said Lehti. She played wing in a 1-2-2 half-court trap defense which got a tremendous lead for us in the third quarter. They figured it out in the fourth and we switched to a 2-3

half-court defense."

"This was an excellent ball game for Amy—her best varsity game to date."

Craigie had two rebounds, two assists and three steals.

Moshier made four points, ten rebounds and three steals.

Cox had ten points, two rebounds, two assists and four steals.

Mertes had four rebounds, five assists and two steals.

Mlcek added nine points, seven rebounds and one assist.

Millikin had four points, one rebound, one assist and two steals.

"She played a nice game," said Lehti.

"She came in for Sarah (Mlcek) and got two quick nice buckets."

Schans had six points, four rebounds, one assist and one steal.

"She helped on the boards," said Lehti.

Gladwin had a player who was averaging 25-30 points per game and Grayling held her to 15 by keying their defense on her and preventing the Flying Gs from "doing what they wanted," said Lehti.

"Heidi Craigie did a nice job on man-to-man defense in the first half, guarding the hot shooter."

GHS also had their fewest number of turnovers this season in the Gladwin contest.

"I'm very pleased with the total team effort in this ball game," said Lehti. "They were ecstatic winning two games in one week. We're going to do everything we can to continue

the trend."

The Vikings face another conference opponent, Rogers City, on Thursday, October 10, away.

"That's the last game of the first half

of the season," said Lehti. "It's going to help that there's no Tuesday game. But it's a big game for us because we're tied with Rogers for 3rd place."



TOUGH DEFENSE--Sophomore Jessica McClain guards a Whittemore-Prescott opponent in the GHS junior varsity basketball team's victory last Tuesday over the Cardinals. Behind her are sophomore Mande Mlcek and freshman Nicole Parker.

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Neither temperatures in the 40s and heavy rains nor the Blue Blazers could stop the Grayling High School varsity football team last Friday evening in their quest for 1st place in the Lake Huron Division of the Great Northern League as they defeated Kalkaska 21-0 and assured themselves a share of the championship.

After last week's game, the Vikings stand 3-0. Whittemore-Prescott, another conference opponent, has forfeited next Friday's contest.

Rogers City and Onaway are tied for 2nd place with 2-1 records. Kalkaska and Alcona share 3rd at 1-2. Whittemore-Prescott is in the cellar at 0-3.

If GHS beats the Cardinals on Saturday, October 19, at 2 p.m. in Onaway, they alone will occupy 1st place. If they lose, their could be a three-way tie for 1st between Grayling, Rogers City and Onaway.

FRIDAY'S GAME

Grayling received the opening kickoff from the Blazers. On their third play of the game, junior running back Jason Brigham took a hard hit and went down with a knee injury.

Although it hurt Grayling to lose one of their starting running backs, Coach David Larkin said that juniors Jason Neeley and Steve Branch came in and did a good job in the position. Grayling forced Kalkaska to punt

on their first possession.

On the Blazers second possession, senior defensive end Jim Schwartz recovered a fumble on the Viking 35-yard line to stop the drive.

Likewise, the Blazers stopped Grayling's drives, and the quarter ended at 0-0.

In the second period, the Vikings forced Kalkaska to punt for the third time in the game. With a wet ball and bad snap, the Blazer punter managed only a six-yard punt, which gave GHS the ball on their own 29-yard line.

A key play came for Grayling on third and ten, when junior quarterback Mike Kirmo hit tight end Jim Schwartz for an 11-yard gain for a first down.

Kirmo's toss was one of the few passes of the evening because it was extremely hard to throw the ball in the downpour, said Coach Larkin.

Junior halfback Gary Schroyer then took the ball from the 14 to the three-yard line.

On second and one at the one-yard line, Schroyer ran in for Grayling's first touchdown behind the blocking of senior linemen Scott Hartman and Mark Andrus.

The extra point kick was blocked, but Grayling was on the scoreboard with a 6-0 lead.

Following the kick-off to Kalkaska, Neeley stripped the ball from the return man and junior defensive back

Mitch McMillan picked up the ball—his fourth fumble recovery of the season.

In that possession, Grayling took the ball to the Kalkaska 34, but on fourth and two came up one yard short of a first down.

The Blazers drove from their own 27 to the Grayling 12, but the Viking defense came through to stop them on fourth and five, ending the first half.

SECOND HALF

The Vikes kicked off to Kalkaska to open the third period, when they were forced to punt once again on fourth down.

Grayling picked up the ball on the Kalkaska 29-yard line. On their first play, Schroyer ran it 71 yards from the left side of the offensive line—for his second TD—behind a lead block by Chris Lehti, playing in the running back position.

Schroyer also ran in a pitch from the right side for the two-point conversion virtually untouched, thanks to an excellent block by Andrus, to make the score 14-0.

Kalkaska was forced to punt on their following possession. On this drive, they attempted some passes; two consecutive ones were deflected by outside linebacker Schroyer and junior defensive back Mike Spencer.

Grayling also was forced to punt after getting the ball on their own 32.

Junior Matt Cragg made an excellent 48-yard punt to give Kalkaska the ball on their own six. The Vikings held them for three plays and again they punted.

GHS got the ball on the Kalkaska 34 and Schroyer scored on the first play. The extra point kick by junior Johannes Blekeli was good, taking the score to 21-0.

The Blazers were forced to punt after three plays on their first drive of the final quarter.

Grayling, picking up the ball on their own 30, could do no better and were forced to punt on fourth down. A bad snap got the punter tackled and gave Kalkaska the ball on the Viking ten.

So it was first and goal for the Blue Blazers. But on second and eight, Schroyer forced a fumble and Branch picked up the ball on the three—a major play for the Viking defense.

The Vikings, who had started subbing all their players in the fourth quarter, picked up two first downs on

their subsequent drive and moved the ball to the Kalkaska 46.

But a fumble gave it back to the Blazers, who drove to the Grayling 15 when the game clock ran out.

SUMMARY AND STATS

"We subbed in everybody and still shut them out," said Coach Larkin. "This was billed as the championship game. I told them if we won, we could do no worse than tie for 1st place. So I'm very pleased everyone got to play and feel a part of the win."

For the Viking defense, senior Arnold Randall again led in tackles with a season high 14. Lehti added eight and Schwartz, Hartman and senior Rob Brown each had six.

Schwartz, Branch and McMillan each recovered one fumble.

On offense, Schroyer picked up an impressive 195 yards on 25 carries (including three TDs and one two-point conversion), making this his fifth straight game at over 100 yards.

Branch made 36 yards on six carries and Neeley gained 20 yards on five

carries.

Total rushing was over 250 yards—another season high for the Vikings.

In passing, Kirmo completed one of four attempts for 11 yards.

"The weather was not conducive to passing because of the heavy rains and because we were moving the ball well on the ground," said Larkin.

Larkin added, "This was the second week in a row that Chris Lehti did a fine job blocking, both at offensive tackle and in his new-found running back position."

"Defensively, Arnold Randall made an outstanding effort with his season high 14 tackles, and Jim Schwartz and Chris Lehti also made an excellent effort."

After a week's rest, the Vikings face Onaway.

"It's going to be a heck of a battle," said Larkin. "We're pretty evenly matched. The intensity level will be high because of the outright championship. But if we go there and execute, we'll do fine."

Kalkaska Beats JV Team 12-8

The Kalkaska Blue Blazers delivered up a 12-8 defeat to the Grayling High School junior varsity football team on October 3.

The Vikings scored first, on a five-yard run on the right end by sophomore halfback Jon Noteware. Freshman Andy Langowski ran the ball in for the two-point conversion, giving GHS an 8-0 lead.

But trouble hit when Grayling was successfully moving the ball with less than two minutes to go in the first half. A good pass by sophomore quarterback Chris Wolcott bounced off the

receiver's hands and was intercepted by a Kalkaska man who ran 90 yards for a TD.

Although the Blazers failed to make the extra point, they took the score to 8-6 and "changed the momentum of the game," said Coach Fred Wolcott.

With 6:36 remaining in the fourth quarter, the Blazers punted to Grayling on the five-yard line. The Vikings, unable to pick up any meaningful yardage, punted the ball to the Blazer 40. Kalkaska scored on that drive, making it 12-8.

Grayling had moved the ball to the

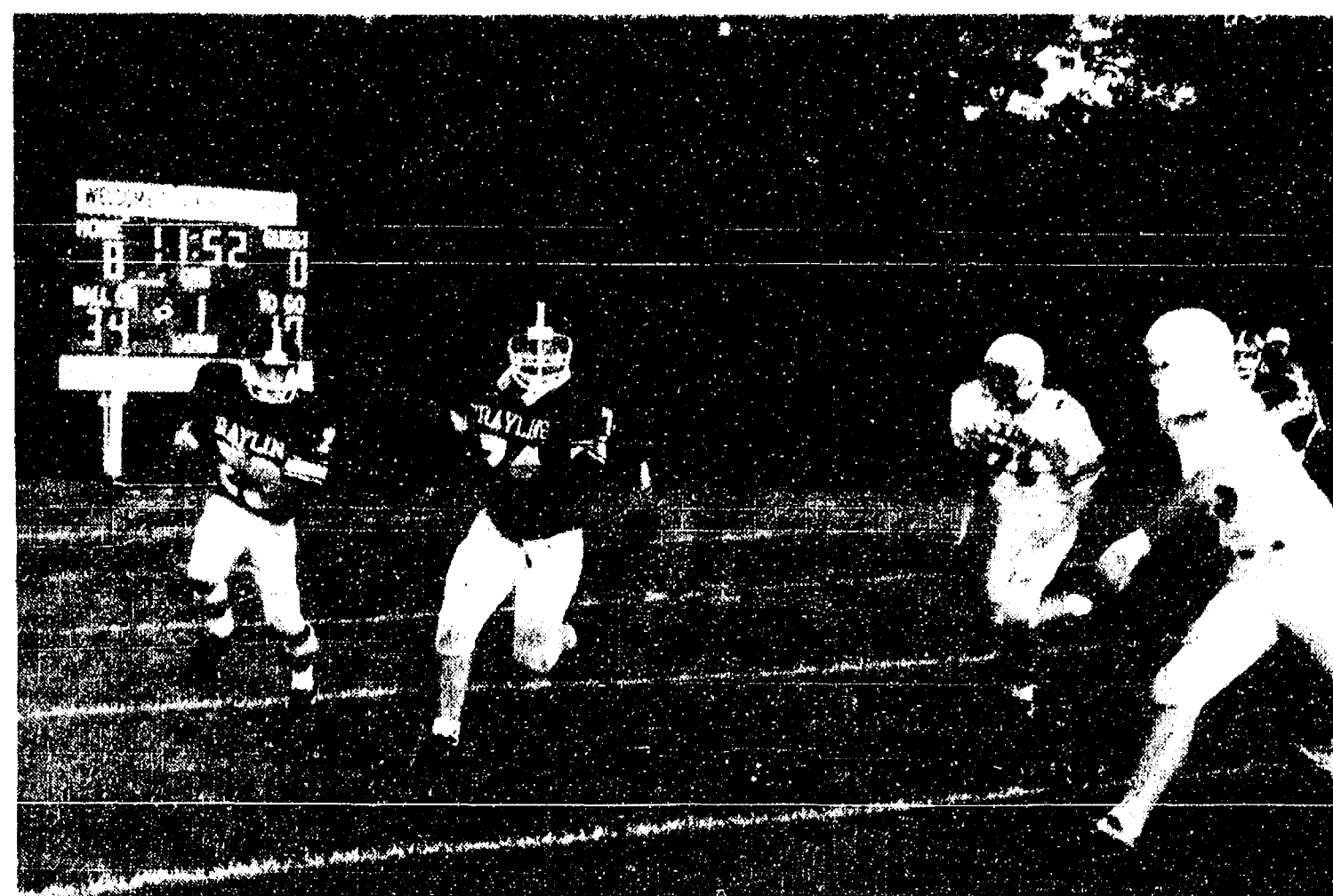
Kalkaska 25 when time ran out.

"It was a hard-hitting game," said Coach Wolcott. "The defense hung in very well several times with their backs to the wall."

"The offense moved well, but we turned the ball over several times and didn't capitalize on scoring opportunities. They blitzed and we had a hard time picking it up."

Wolcott said that Noteware had a good game and ran the ball well.

The junior varsity squad will meet the Cardinals of Whittemore-Prescott at home on Thursday, October 10.



VIKING DRIVE--Sophomore halfback Jon Noteware runs the ball behind the blocking of sophomore off-tackle Jeremiah Blaauw in last Thursday's junior varsity football game against Kalkaska.

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3. The person with the most points at the end of the 17-week contest will win all the overall prizes.

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- * Baseball cap, a \$5 value, from RV & Maxi Store
- * \$50 cash from the Crawford County Avalanche
- * 1 week free rental from Continental Rental [must meet rental requirements]

Overall Prizes

- * \$10 gift certificate from Rutter's Building Center
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- * \$100 cash and a one-year free subscription from the Crawford County Avalanche
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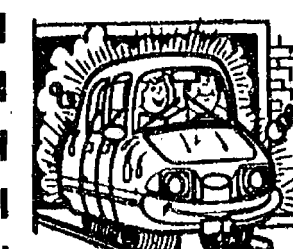
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School Page

Grayling Elementary School

Gary Mott

Mr. Hatfield 4th grade
I am Gary Mott. I am in Mr. Hatfield's fourth-grade class. When I went to living science on Monday Sept. 23 it was really fun. I got to pick up a hermit crab and I got to touch a live crab. I touched its shell and I shake his leg. But before we went to the room of living science one of the people came to our room and showed us some shells. But the most exciting thing to me was the live shark. I liked the shark so much because it was rough and soft.

Megin Southworth

Mr. Hatfield 4th grade
Hi my name is Megin Southworth. Mr. Hatfield is my teacher I'm in 4th grade. Yesterday the 23 of September living science came to my class room first they showed us shells — there was really big one. Then we went to a room where there was lots of things you could touch they were alive too! The little animals were from the sea. Then when we were about to leave we got to see a medium size shark it felt like sandpaper. Then a horseshoe crab and a big alive shell! You should see Living Science some time. It was fun!

George Bielat

Mr. Hatfield 4th Grade
LIVING SCIENCE
My name is George. I'm in Mr. Hatfield's room. I liked living science because we learned about living things in the ocean and we got to touch them too. My favorite was the shark. I hope living science will keep on working to keep on teaching about living things in the ocean.

Jenny Lehman

Mrs. Toni Johnson 2nd grade
The apples. We make applesauce. We food mill it woss good. Do you like applesauce? I do like applesauce.

Lloyd Crawford

Mrs. Toni Johnson 2nd grade
We made applesauce today! It wuse fun! We had a donut with it we! We youst cups to pot the applesauce in!

Nicole Alandt

Mrs. Toni Johnson 2nd grade
Today are class made apple sauce and Mrs. McClanahan helped us and we had donuts and it was good the end.



STUDENTS-OF-THE-MONTH—The following Grayling Middle School students were selected by their teachers as Students-of-the-Month for September. The students were treated to a pizza party on Friday, September 27, compliments of Buccilli's Pizza of Grayling. Back row (l-r): Melissa Sampsel, Jennifer Pahssen, Joe Godlewski, Martin Kroell, Brooke Blaauw, Scott Hartman, Adam Anderson, Heather Ball, Gordon Whitney, Renee Gammon, and principal Mr. Mike Branch. Second row: Travis Huber, Sarah Medler, Louie Kehr, Carmen Romain, Jessica Smith, Lindsey Voelker, Joe Gobin, Brett Black, Erin Smith, Jessica St. Germain, and Garrett Langowski. First row: Naomi Roy, Heidie Wallace, Brad Dratnol, Cliff Hadley, Jeremy Rice, Brooke Ginther, Sara Bassett, April Gosling, and Mandy Trudgeon. Not pictured: Daniel Finch, Melissa Ostwald, Bryan Sattler, and Aaron Westervelt.

Grayling Middle School

(The following letter was written in Mr. Ingvarsson's eighth grade computer block class as part of a word processing unit. The previous assignment had been a letter to a fictional person. This letter was a response from that fictional person.)

Deanne Lee and Renee Meehan

Dear Deanne & Renee,
I just got your letter the other day, and I am pleased with the results of the Grayling Middle School students. I believe you do this in the middle school already. In the Supreme Court, we are just learning it now in our offices. This program was so hard when we first started, I just wanted to break down and cry. After a couple of months, the program became a little bit easier. Now, six months later, I don't even use white-out on the screen anymore. Thank you for the letter Deanne and Renee.

Thank You,
The Supreme Court Justice,
Marge

Rachael Brown

Mrs. Wager's English class
This is the story of my grandpa and me before he died on February 23, 1989.

My grandpa and I were very close. Nothing could keep us apart except the miles. He lived on 6 mile Rd. in Remus and I lived in Nashville, MI, on Cloverdale Rd. We lived 70 miles apart from each other. I've had many fun times with my grandpa, and many memories of him and I. Like the time we went to a picnic. He promised me he would go for a long walk with me and we talked too. Instead of going for a long walk we went to the zoo. We saw tigers, bears, snakes, polar bears, monkeys and many more animals.

I can also remember the time when I was 3 years old. We were very tired and decided to take a nap. So we both did for awhile.

One day I came home and heard some very upsetting news. Grandpa had died in his sleep. I cried and cried for days.

At the funeral the preacher talked a long time. I went up to the casket and looked at him and cried.

There were roses with a card that said, "These flowers are all from the great grandkids of Leotis Brown."

We went to a dinner and I met many people who knew my grandfather.

I really miss my grandpa and I have many fond and loving memories that I hold in my heart forever. I'll never forget him.

Grayling Junior Basketball League Sign-Ups Begin

Registration for the boys' Grayling Junior Basketball League season will run until Saturday, October 26. Boys in grades 3-6 are eligible. Cost is \$7 a boy. Sign up at R & H Sports.

Mrs. Ingvarsson's 7th grade English class
Advice from 7th graders on succeeding in Grayling Middle School.

Be yourself
Learn to write good penmanship
Don't forget your homework in band
Never have a bad attitude with a teacher

Don't take drugs: It's bad for your health

The trick for not being late to class is this: When the bell rings, you escape the class by walking fast and you don't fool around by talking to your friends. Take this advice and you'll make it to class on time.

When you do your schoolwork, do it neat.

Advice on how to be prepared for class: Always bring your book, two sharpened pencils, a pen, a spiral notebook, and some folders to class.

When it comes to sports and school, always say I'll do it instead of I'll try.

Be nice to your teachers and respect them, and they will respect you and treat you like you treat them.

Study hard, pay attention and do good on penmanship (so your teachers can read your work).

Watch out for what you say to people, because in a small town everyone is related.

Be happy with yourself.

Get good grades in school, so you can go to a good college and get a well-paying job.



CAMOUFLAGED—Junior Nick Hebekeuser, dressed in camouflage gear, describes how to prepare for archery hunting in a demonstration speech for Rebecca Brown's GHS Oral Communications course.



DOG OBEDIENCE—GHS senior Michelle Burcham uses her dog Addy, a young bearded collie, to demonstrate dog obedience training techniques in a speech for Rebecca Brown's GHS Oral Communications class.



MAKE-UP TECHNIQUES—Junior Gary Schroyer was the good-natured assistant for classmate Kristen Hunter as she demonstrated the proper method for applying make-up in a speech for Rebecca Brown's Oral Communications class at GHS.



BEARS HELP STUDENTS COMMUNICATE—The theme for Friday, September 27 was Bear Day at Ms. Savoie's primary class. Talking is the first step in the communication process and these Frederic Elementary primary students talked about their bears. Pictured (l-r) back row: Charlotte Lacombe, Jean Bielat, James Brzak, Jeffery Dedafoe, and Jennifer Dean. Center row: Thomas Crandall, James Perkins, Larry Farley, and Lucas Southard. Front row: Brian Phillips, Billy Wright, John Kusneris, Jamie Zelek.

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Alumni News

By Clara Sorenson
Membership Secretary

Two hundred twenty three persons were in attendance at the Annual GHS Alumni Homecoming Dinner on Saturday, September 28, at the K of C Hall. Bear's Country Inn provided a buffet, complete with dessert, served at 7 pm. Tressa Vallad Fenton gave the Invocation, followed by the group singing "God Bless America." President Bill Joseph bid welcome as they started through the serving line.

After dinner, recognition was given to several who had given time for the organization and all who had gathered as Reunions. As usual, we stood and sang our song "Grayling Will Shine Tonight" as the program ended.

The rest of the evening was enjoyed in visiting and dancing to Larry Reichert's music. Before the dancing started he sang "Born In America." This is a brief report on our evening. Next week will be the rest of the story.

Par For The Course

The Men's League of the Grayling Country Club held their closing party on Tuesday, September 24, at the Country Club. They enjoyed steaks and other refreshments after playing golf. There were prizes for everyone with a good turnout reported.

Cliff Wheeler won the Club Championship in the Men's Division. Team winners in the Tuesday night league were Dick DuBois and Dale Pettengill in the red flight, Charles Gunther and Rudy Martinez in the white flight and Bill O'Brien and Jerry Millikin in the blue flight. In the Wednesday night league, John Harmer and Roger Hall won in the red flight, and Eldee Norman and Mark Furst won in the blue flight.

Cards of thanks

Thank-you to J.C. Penney's and Kathleen's Plus for their contribution in making our "Now and Then" fashion show a success.

Commission on Aging

STATE OF MICHIGAN 83RD JUDICIAL DISTRICT ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION/POSTING AND NOTICE OF ACTION

CASE NO. 91 225 LT
Crawford County Building, Grayling, MI, 49738
(517) 348-2841 Ext. 242
JOHN MERSEURAU, JR., AND NANINE MERSEURAU
David R. Sablin, P.C. P19822
115 Michigan Ave, Grayling, MI 49738
(517) 348-5588

JOHN SCHLAFF AND BRENDA SCHLAFF
TO: JOHN SCHLAFF
IT IS ORDERED:

You are being sued by plaintiff in this court to forfeit the Land Contract between John Merseurau, Jr., and Nanine Merseurau, as sellers, and John and Brenda Schlaff, as purchasers. You must file your answer or take other action permitted by law in this court at the court address above on or before 10-29-91 at 1:00 p.m. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.
September 27, 1991
Judge Francis L. Walsh (P21943)

-10-17-24

GRAYLING TOWNSHIP NOTICE

Please be notified the Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on October 21, 1991, at 7:00 p.m. in the Township Office, 2090 Viking Way (M-72 W), to hear the following case:

Case # 91-13: Norman W. Schmook, petitioner.
T26N, R4W, Sec. 11, 7078 AuSable Trail, NRD Zone.
A request to construct an attached garage to an existing residence. Closest point of construction 113' from the river, a variance of 87'.

Tentative text and zoning maps may be examined at the Township Office during regular business hours.

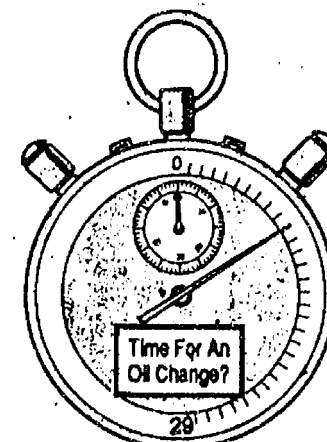
Correspondence concerning the request should be directed to: Grayling Township, P.O. Box 521, Grayling, MI, 49738. Telephone: 517/348-4361.
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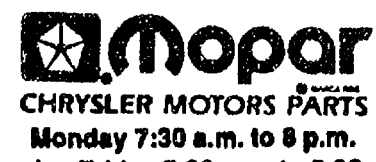


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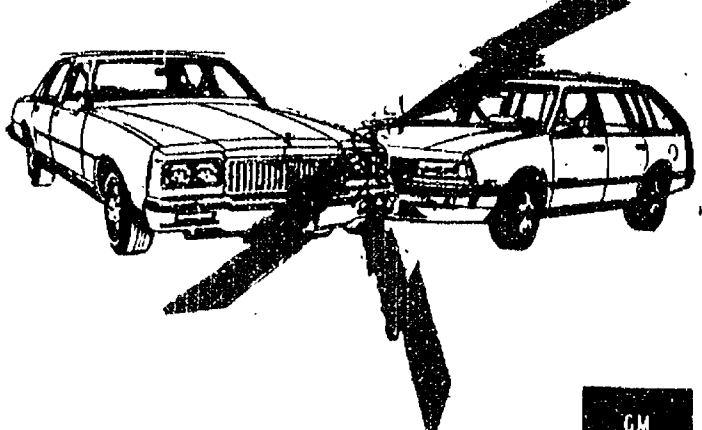
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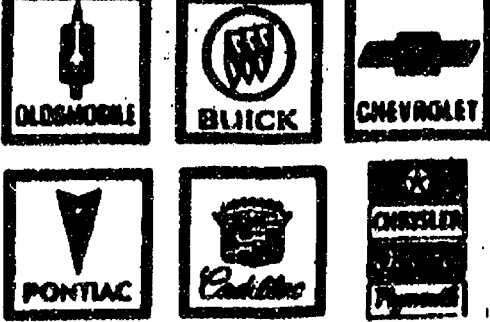
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Commission On Aging

By Jan Farley

Due to the increased cost of everything we have been forced to increase our "suggested donation" for meal programs from \$1.35 to \$1.50 as of October 1. We hope this does not inconvenience any of our seniors and it is the "suggested" donation because you may contribute whatever you can afford. "Juniors" will still pay the usual \$2.50 per meal.

Dinner Hour has been changed back to the original hour of 5 o'clock, beginning on October 14th.

Better Hearing Clinic on Wednesday, October 9th, from 9:30 to 2:30.

Congregate meals are served at 12 noon and five Monday through Thursday and at noon on Fridays. Please call for reservations, 348-7123. Donation for seniors, \$1.50, and \$2.50 cost for those under 60. Menus listed as Lunch/Dinner:

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Friday-11-Meatloaf.

Monday-14-Wiener Schnitzel/Fish Fillets;

Tuesday-15-Baked Ham/Spaghetti & Meatballs;

Wednesday-16-Chicken Kiev/BBQ Beef;

Thursday-17-Swiss Steak/Chicken

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that the Grayling Housing Commission will receive sealed Bids for the construction of upgrading and renovations of certain portions of the AuSagra Acres Housing Project.

Construction of this project shall be completed by November 5, 1992.

All Bids will be received on a lump sum basis, including all building, mechanical, and electrical work. Segregated Bids will not be accepted.

Bids will be received until 1 p.m., local time, Thursday, October 31, 1991.

Bids will be publicly opened.

Bidding Documents may be obtained by Bidders only, on or after September 30, 1991, from GBKB Associates, 109 East Front Street, Suite 303, Traverse City, Michigan, 49684, (616/496-7116), for a deposit of Sixty Dollars (\$60.00), check only, for each complete set of Bidding Documents. Each Bidder will be allowed up to four (4) sets of complete Bidding Documents.

Bids must be accompanied by a five percent (5%) bid security.

Performance Bond and Labor and Material Payment Bond are required on this project.

A Bid may not be modified, withdrawn, or cancelled for a period of sixty (60) calendar days after the time and date designated for receipt of Bids.

Bidders and subscribers shall not discriminate in employment practices and agree to abide by the requirements of Executive Order No. 11246, as amended, including specifically the provisions of the Equal Opportunity clause.

Bidders shall attend a pre-bid conference and walkthrough, which will start at 10 a.m. local time, Friday, October 11, 1991, at the project site.

Date: September 30, 1991

By: Guy Quigley,
Executive Director

-10-17

Crawford Joins Local Real Estate Firm



Nettie Crawford

Century 21 River Country Real Estate, Inc. has added Nettie Winkler-Crawford to their professional sales staff. Ms. Crawford has recently completed all of the state educational requirements and successfully written the state licensing test.

Crawford has been a resident of Crawford County for 15 years, residing on North Down River Road. She has one child, Lloyd, now in the second grade at Grayling Elementary School.

Prior to starting her career in real estate, Crawford has been in the nursing profession as an RN. She has been with Mercy Hospital, Commission on Aging, and Meadows of Grayling. She received her RN training at Walla Walla College in Washington State.

Basketmakers Schedule 10th Annual Convention Oct. 19

Ten years after the first basketmaker's convention was held in Grayling with 80 people in attendance,

about 750 basketmakers will meet and share their talents at Shanty Creek, Bellaire.

The public is welcome on Saturday, October 19, until 5 p.m. There will be an exhibit room, vendor and marketplace areas.

A fee of \$2 will be charged. A.M.B. members will be admitted free.

Lovells News

Mr. Ed Fortune is a patient at Mercy Hospital. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wykoff have moved into their new home near Gaylord. They will be missed.

G.R.A.

Halloween Spookfest

The Grayling Recreation Authority and many other local businesses and organizations are planning a Halloween Spookfest to be held Thursday, October 31, from 6 to 9 p.m. Early registration is recommended by calling 348-9266.

There will be a spookhouse, games, refreshments, costume contest, prizes, and more! There is no fee for this program, donations are accepted.

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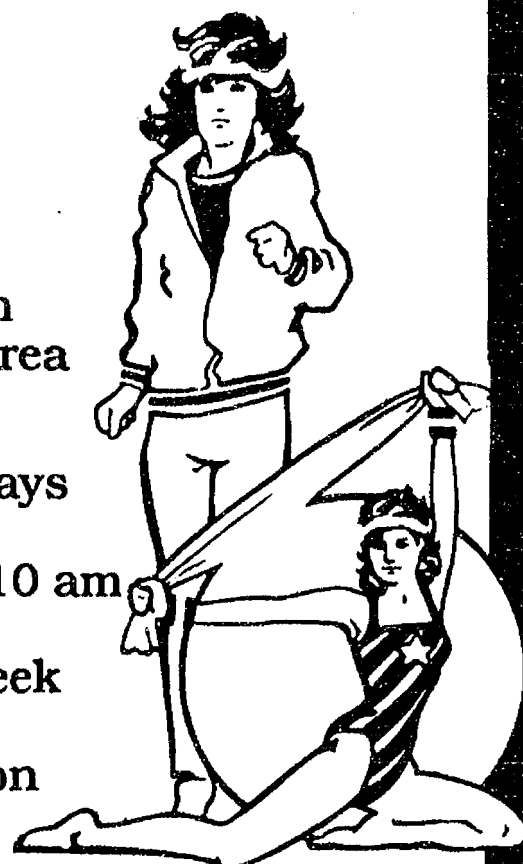
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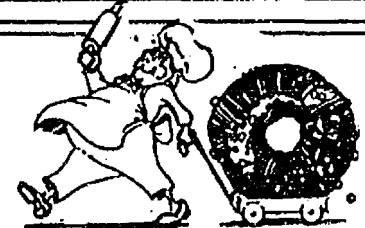
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Area Scout Leaders Needed

Parents of boys in Grayling and Frederic are needed as leaders to help guide young boy scouts. One leader is need for 2nd grade boys in Grayling, and at least two are needed in Frederic. If you are interested contact cub master Bob McCurdy at 348-8953 or Marsha Kroell at 348-8515. Tiger scout parents should contact Lynn Johnson at 348-7736.

In other scout news, Pack 3993 is holding its annual popcorn sale until October 14.

Grayling Assembly Of God Dedicates New Building

The Grayling Assembly of God invites area residents or visitors to attend the dedication service and celebration of their new facilities on the I-75 Business Loop, across from the airport on Sunday, October 13, at 4 p.m.

Rev. William Leach, Michigan District Supt., will be officiating the ceremonies. A reception will follow the 4 p.m. service.

Former pastors will be speaking at celebration services through Wednesday at 7 p.m. On Sunday,

October 13th, Rev. Steve Bach will be the guest speaker in the 11 a.m. service. Monday evening at 7, Rev. Thomas McLane will be speaking; Rev. Clifford Molnar on Tuesday evening; and on Wednesday, Rev. Dan Brown. Everyone is welcome.



Steven Bach



Thomas McLane



Daniel Brown

Free Methodist Church Hosts Evangelist Phillips

Evangelist Hal Phillips will be speaking at the Grayling Free Methodist Church on October 13 through October 16. Services will be held Sunday at 11 a.m., 6 p.m., and nightly at 7 p.m.

Hal's Bible-centered messages appeal to the young as well as the old. He has traveled throughout the United States and Canada to present the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Hal's life story was recently featured

on the international radio broadcast "Unshackled." Currently he lives in Sandusky with his wife and two children. He spends a minimum of thirty weeks a year presenting God's message in special services.

Pastor Carpenter and the Grayling Free Methodist Church invite everyone to come and hear the exciting message of God's love.

The Grayling Free Methodist Church is located along M-72 West—across from Aunt Betty's Restaurant.



Hal Phillips



OPENING DAY KILL—James Ritter, of Grayling, shot this 120 pound doe at 7:30 a.m. on the opening day of bow hunting season. Ritter has been hunting for sixteen seasons and has shot a deer every year. This doe was taken at Baldy Hill Ranch, owned by Glen's Market.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Crawford County Road Commission will not perform any routine maintenance of County Roads during overtime periods. Due to budget constraints and very tight cash flow this year, all non-essential overtime will be curtailed.

This will not affect State Trunkline maintenance which is reimbursed by MDOT for specific levels of maintenance operations. We will continue to respond to emergencies on County Roads, but only as necessary to resolve the immediate emergency.

This necessary cost cutting measure is a result of declining revenues to the Michigan Transportation Fund, which supports all 83 County Road Commissions and the Michigan Department of Transportation from fuel and license taxes.

Richard Young
Engineer-Manager
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Thank you Georgia Pacific

A special thank you to Georgia-Pacific Resins, Inc. for paying the admission for each person who visits the museum on "Thank You Grayling Day" on Thursday, October 17. Georgia-Pacific is donating a minimum of \$100 to the museum.

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FRI. 11	•VARSITY FB AT WHITEMORE PRESCOTT, 7:30 pm
SAT. 12	•3RD ANNUAL MERCY HOSPITAL Auxiliary Arts & Crafts Bazaar at Grayling High School, 10 am to 4 pm
SUN. 13	•TAKE THE FAMILY for a fall color tour around beautiful Crawford County
MON. 14	•COLUMBUS DAY! •GRAYLING KIWANIS CLUB MEETING, 12 noon, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. •MS GBB VS ROSCOMMON, (H) 6 pm •SCHOOL PICTURES ARE BEING taken this week - SMILE!
TUES. 15	•GRAYLING PROMOTIONAL ASSOCIATION MEETING, 12 noon, Copper Kettle Restaurant. •MS GBB VS HOUGHTON LAKE, 6 pm •ABWA "HAY RIDE & WIENER ROAST" for Members & Guests, meet at Grayling Elementary Parking Lot, 6:30 pm
WED. 16	•GRAYLING ROTARY MEETING, 12 noon, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. •WEIGHT WATCHERS MEETING, Weigh-in, 4:45 pm; meeting, 5:50 pm; St. Francis Episcopal Church, M-72 West



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Government Action

Grayling City Council Proceedings September 9, 1991

Meeting called to order by Mayor Golinick at 7:30 p.m.

Members Present: Stevens, Schreiner, Golinick, White, Akers. Members Absent: None. Also in Attendance: Jerry W. Morford, City Manager, Kay Ellen King, Mark Adkison, Patricia Schreiner, Dennis Long, Carl Lehto, Gloria Stephan, Pete Stephan, Maureen McNamara, Sharon Klinger, Deborah Allen, Judy Dickinson, Terry Dickinson, Joel Lord, Chad Omsbee.

Moved by Schreiner, supported by Akers that the minutes of the meeting of August 26, 1991, be approved as presented. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Citizens who wish to speak.
Mark Adkison brought to Council a letter concerning the bussing of children within walking distance of the Grayling Elementary School to the Frederic Elementary School. Much discussion between Council and citizens present was held with Council supporting the letter to oppose bussing of the in-town children to Frederic.

Moved by Stevens, supported by Schreiner, to go on record as opposing bussing of children within walking distance of the Grayling Elementary School to the Frederic Elementary School and to send this letter and copy of Minutes to Kent Reynolds and the Crawford AuSable School Board. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Terry Dickinson will be sending a letter to Council regarding Christmas decorations, working with Joe Meredith.

Communications were received and noted. Letter from C-Tec Cable re: Rates. August 1991 Police Department Report. August 1991 Fire Department Report. Redistricting map of the County Commissioners from 7 to 6.

Old Business:
Designation of City Representatives for M.M.L. Pool Meeting October 24th and 25th.

Moved by Stevens, supported by Akers, that Robert Golinick as delegate and Jerry Morford as alternate attend the M.M.L. Pool Meeting in Grayling on October 24th and 25th on behalf of the City of Grayling. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

MDOT re: Signal Participation.
Moved by Stevens, supported by Golinick, that the Cost Agreements for Traffic Signal Control be signed with a request to

MDOT to place walking lines at the corner of BL-75 and M-72 (Huron Street). Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

E-911 Meeting. Mr. Morford attended this meeting and reported back to Council.

Moved by Golinick, supported by Schreiner, that the private road by Madsen's on State Street be named Milltown Court and the private road by Grayling Reel be named Young Road in conjunction with E-911. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

New Business:
Partial Pay Estimate for Contracts #1 and 2 Sewer Project.

Moved by Stevens, supported by Schreiner, that Partial Pay Estimate for Contract #1 from DeVere Construction in the amount of \$4,050.00 for work completed be paid. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Moved by Golinick, supported by

Stevens, that Partial Pay Estimate for Contract #2 from DeVere Construction in the amount of \$886,172.76 for work completed be paid. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Proposed Sewer Rate Discussion and User Charge System Adoption. Council asked questions which Mr. Morford and Carl Lehto answered.

Moved by Stevens, supported by Schreiner, to adopt the User Charge System as presented effective with the January 1992 billing period. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Reports of City Manager. Mr. Morford reported on the following.

Chamber of Commerce Meeting at noon on Thursday, Luncheon Issues with MDOT at the Copper Kettle.

Alarms connecting with E-911. Mr. Stevens had several questions regarding the

discontinuation of the alarm systems in commercial buildings and who pays the cost of moving equipment to new location. Mr. Akers and Mr. Long explained the new set-up.

M.M.L. Property Pool letter regarding inspection of the city building and finding no problems or violations of safety codes.

Six candidates for the City Council Election as of September 9, 1991.

Painting Power Poles Downtown. Gypsy Moth Program Update.

Reports of Council Members. None. Adjournment.

Moved by Golinick, supported by Schreiner, that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 9:25 p.m.

Jerry W. Morford
City Manager & City Clerk

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Shirley, Hunter Married



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The Meadows Of Grayling News

By Carolyn Poll, Activity Director

We would like to extend a warm welcome to Elizabeth Carrier, John C. Mullen, Mary Pellegrini, George Dieterich, and Lloyd and Anna Grinage.

Presently we are in the process of making turkey decorations out of pine cones and construction paper for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Some of our big winners at the weekly bingo game were: Velma Gill, Emma Hinkley, Amos Richards,

Dorothy Niceswander, and Martha Knisely. The residents look forward to these Bingo games.

Last Friday some of the residents went for a color tour of the beautiful fall colors that only the state of Michigan woods has to offer. They also had the pleasure and excitement of seeing a family of wild turkeys, twelve in all.

On Saturday they viewed the movie comedy, *Mannequin*, which was good for a few chuckles.



Kessler, Haller Married

Robyn P. Kessler and Timothy J. Haller exchanged wedding vows in an open church ceremony at Sunday Road Baptist Church in Hico, West Virginia. The ceremony began at 2 p.m. Saturday, October 5, with the Reverend David Sneed presiding.

Robin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Kessler of Lansing, West Virginia. She is a 1982 graduate of Midland Trail High School and holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Bluefield State College, Bluefield, West Virginia.

Tim is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Haller of Grayling. He is a 1979 graduate of Farmington High School and holds an Associate of Science degree from New York State University, Albany, New York.

Both Robyn and Tim are pilots with Zantop International Airlines and are presently based in Ypsilanti.

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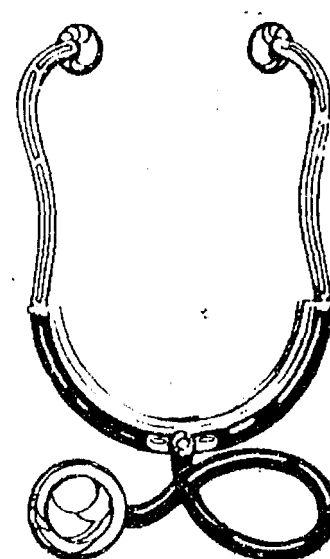


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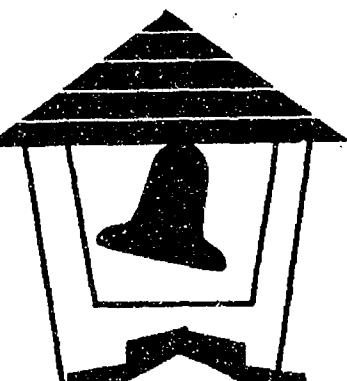
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By Charles Tinsley, Social Security manager in Cadillac

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This is important to you too if you are a widow and you haven't started receiving Social Security yet, or you know someone in those circumstances. I want to point out that, although I refer only to widows, the law applies equally to women and men, but widows represent less than one

percent of the total number of people who get these kind of Social Security benefits.

The main difference between the benefits payable to widows and those payable to retirees and their spouses is that widows can start getting their Social Security benefits at age 60 rather than age 62. And if a widow is disabled, she can start getting her benefits as early as age 50. A widow can also get Social Security benefits if she is caring for the deceased worker's child who is under age 16 or disabled.

If a widow starts her benefits at age 60, she gets a smaller amount than she would if she waited until age 65.

Although generally, the fact that she gets benefits over a longer period of time more than compensates for the reduction. A widow who has worked under her own Social Security number can choose to take her widow's benefits at age 60 and then switch to her own retirement benefits at age 65 if it will give her more money.

A widow who remarries after age 60 can continue to receive her widow's benefits. Widows benefits are also available to divorced women if the couple were married at least ten years.

To apply for widows benefits, you will need your own Social Security number and your husband's. You also need your birth certificate, marriage certificate, and the death certificate. A divorced widow also needs to furnish the divorce decree. If you need help getting any of these documents, you can call our office for information.

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The Bible Speaks

From The
Calvary Baptist Church

Granny Dumping

"Granny Dumping" is another progressive step toward the legal execution of the elderly by euthanasia. The September 1991, AARP Bulletin carried the story of elderly grandmothers being abandoned by their families upon hospital emergency room doorsteps. This reminds one of the primitive Eskimos who placed granny on the ice. They knew a bear would kill and eat granny, but the family hoped later to eat the bear.

Nineteen years ago we publicly stated that approving abortion would open Pandora's box and lead to legal suicide, and euthanasia. Last year a Michigan doctor made national headlines for providing a "suicide machine" to kill an early-stage Alzheimer's patient. Murder charges against him were dropped. In July of this year, a grand jury in Rochester, N.Y., refused to indict a doctor for prescribing medication to a cancer patient for euthanasia. This November 5th, the people of Washington state will vote to decide if their doctors can

legally help terminally ill patients with suicide. A book on how to kill yourself is currently on the national best sellers list. The mores of our society are rapidly approving suicide and euthanasia.

A spokeswoman for Euthanasia said of the Washington initiative, "We expect a tough fight... We anticipate all the same tactics that took place on the abortion issue." Killing babies in the name of a woman's right, will soon include killing the elderly in the name of personal rights, family rights, or some other rights. Once any segment of society does not have a God-given right-to-life, it will eventually reach the deformed, the diseased, and the dejected. When the mother has lost respect for her own flesh and blood, and youth have lost respect for the elderly and the honorable, what protects the rest of us? Time and circumstances will intensify persuasive arguments which promote "voluntary alternatives" to life.

Respect for the elderly is a Bible principle. "Hearken unto thy father

that begat thee, and despise not thy mother when she is old." (Pro. 23:22). "Thou shalt rise up before the hoary head, and honour the face of the old man, and fear thy God: I am the LORD." (Lev. 19:32). "Cursed be he that smiteth his neighbour secretly. And all the people shall say, Amen." (Deut. 27:24). Doctors who kill will not be excluded.

A society which loses respect for life will continue to experience growing violence. "And the people shall be oppressed, every one by another, and every one by his neighbour: the child shall behave himself proudly against the ancient, and the base against the honourable." (Isa. 3:5). Will you help defend the life of granny before another generation gains the "right" to legally execute you?

Pastor "B"

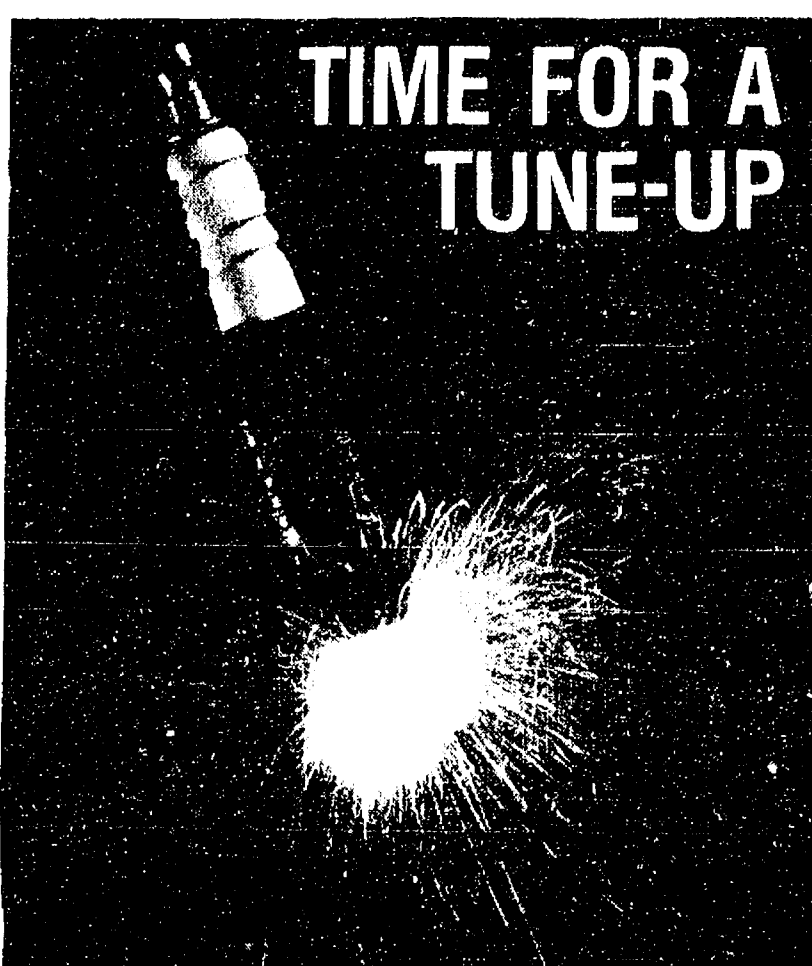
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Where do we find this "spiritual tune-up?" As you worship God each week, He will renew your spiritual spark. Psalm 23:3 says, "He restoreth my soul." Make the decision to visit your house of worship regularly. Take time for a tune-up.

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Matthew
5:13-26

Monday
Nehemiah
1:1-10

Tuesday
Nehemiah
2:1-20

Wednesday
Nehemiah
4:1-23

Thursday
Nehemiah
5:1-13

Friday
Nehemiah
6:1-14

Saturday
Nehemiah
6:15-7:3

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Rev. Jim Wright
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
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Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.
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Church School 9:45-10:45 a.m.
Worship Services 8:30 & 11 a.m.
Bible Study (Wed.) 10 a.m.
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Handbell Choir (Mon.) 7 p.m.
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Parsonage 348-2588

Sunday School 10 a.m.
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Evening Service 6 p.m.
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Lutheran (ELCA)
Rev. Robert A. Gordon
710 Spruce St. - Phone 348-5224
Summer Schedule May 26-Sept. 1
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Preaching 11 a.m.
Midweek Service Prayer 7 p.m.

Gaylord Christian Reformed
Rev. V. Schaap
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Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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702 Peninsular - 348-7657
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Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.
Weekday Mass

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Wednesday 10 a.m.
Thursday 8 a.m.
Friday 8 a.m.
Confession Saturday 4 p.m.

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Chapel Service 11 a.m.

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M-72 West
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
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348-8573
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Communion & Preaching 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.

Wednesday
Mid-week Bible Study 7 p.m.

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Sunday Service 10 a.m.

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Wed. Prayer Service 7 p.m.

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William Allan Charter, 28, of Roscommon, plead no contest to a charge of City Ordinance #4—Assault & Battery, and was fined \$205 or 30 days, placed on six months probation, and ordered to pay \$347 restitution. He was cited January 2, 1991.

Paula Lynn Duncan, 31, of Roscommon, plead no contest to a charge of NSF Check under \$50, and was fined \$155 or 14 days, restitution paid. She was cited November 24, 1990, by the City Police Dept.

Thomas Gregory Haskin, 40, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Retail Fraud 2nd Degree, and was ordered to serve 30 days in the County Jail, with credit for time served. He was cited April 13, 1991, by the City Police Dept.

Thomas Gregory Haskin, 40, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Malicious Destruction of Property Under \$100, and was ordered to serve 30 days in the County Jail, with credit for time served. He was cited February 7, 1991.

Donna VanLuchene, 48, of Gaylord, plead guilty to a charge of NSF Check Under \$50, and was fined \$155 or 14 days, restitution paid. She was cited January 9, 1991, by the City Police Dept.

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John Bennett Crampton, Jr., 29, of West Branch, plead guilty to a charge of Impaired Driving, and was fined \$475 or 60 days, plus his license was suspended 90 days. He was cited June 7, 1991, by the City Police Dept.

Daniel Lawrence Zemierowski, 35, of Detroit, plead guilty to a charge of Impaired Driving, and was fined \$475 or 60 days, plus his license was suspended 90 days. He was cited July 6, 1991, by the Sheriff Dept.

Greg Arthur Messerschmidt, 23, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Impaired Driving, and was fined \$475 or 60 days, plus his license was suspended 90 days. He was cited July

9, 1991, by the Sheriff Dept.

Jay J. Schmidt, 18, of Deerfield, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL, and was fined \$525 or 60 days, plus his license was suspended nine months. He was cited May 12, 1991, by the Sheriff Dept.

David John Kneff, 36, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL, and was fined \$625 or 60 days, placed on six months probation, plus his license was suspended nine months. He was cited January 9, 1988, by the Sheriff Dept.

Roger Allen Moon, 26, of Grayling, plead not guilty to a charge of Retail Fraud 2nd Degree, and demanded a

trial by jury. Jury trial held: defendant found guilty as charged, and was fined \$155 or 14 days, placed on one year probation, and ordered to pay \$300 attorney fees. He was cited July 24, 1990, by the City Police Dept.

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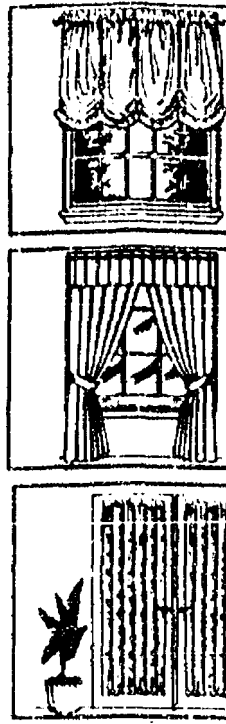
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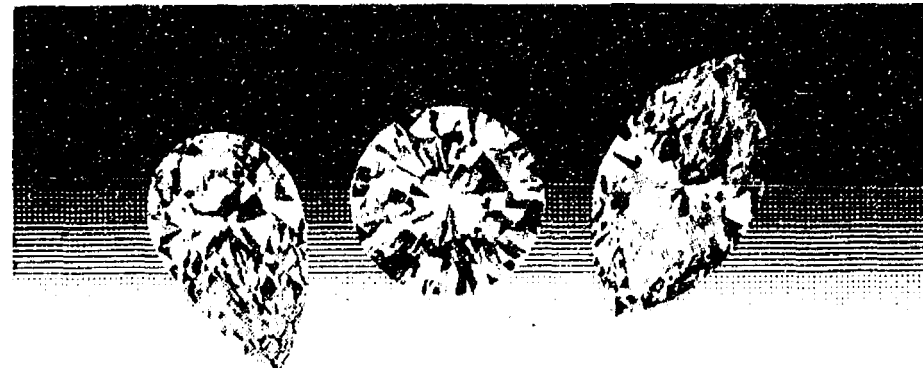
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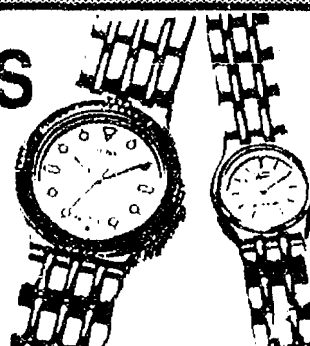
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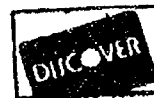


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